And Patronize Them.

VOL. 48, NO. 128.

TUESDAY EVENING-ST. LOUIS-DECEMBER 15, 1896.-TEN PAGES.

PRICE IN ST LOUIS, ONE CENT.

What to Buy for Christmas Is Solved in Post-Dispatch Ads.--- Consult Them Daily.

POOL ALLEY IS

The court says in its opinion: "The paramount issue presented by this cause may take the form of the question, 'Is the act just quoted constitutional?' The court takes it that it is a class law or a law making provisions for two classes, for by the act of 1895 it discriminates between that portion or class of bookmakers who assemble on the premises or within the limits or included her mother and stepfather. They were convicted by her test mony of murder in the second degree. But remores over the prisoners are course and renders the member of that portion immune from punishment, while another portion of the same 'genus' bookmaker or poolseller or the premises of same to the premises of poolseller or the premise of poolseller or the premise same 'genus' bookmaker or poolseller or the premise particular of the premise proving seventeen year terms and fifty prisoners revolted, killed and fifty prisoners revolted, killed six solded and fifty prisoners revolted, killed six solded and fifty prisoners revolted, killed six solded and fifty prisoners are volted by fact the presence year terms each, in the pentient at Deer Loge for the murder of John P. Stewart of the murder of the stewart was a wealthy man and suspicion first fell upon his wife, Mary Stewart was a wealthy man and suspicion first fell upon his wife, Mary Stewart of the prisoners revolted to ralse the matice of the matice of the matice of the matice of the stand o bet manager who pursues his avocation outediately joutside of the sacred foomed for doing the same things to fine or

on, concludes with the following: "Inas much as defendant has been convicted in-

Tom Walsh was the most popular gambler in town this morning when it became known among the betting fraternity that he had won his case before the Supreme Court, and was no longer in danger of being locked up in the Work House for six months to come.

The decision was looked upon by the pool

n rooms in operation by to-morrow af-oon in time to take bets on the New Orleans and San Francisco races. Gambiers are a superstitious lot, as a rule, and pointed to the fact that a horse named Nicolini ran

Nicolfii last January that formed the foundation of the case against Walsh.

Walsh was in consultation with his attorney. Tom Rowe, as soon as he could find
him, for the purpose of deciding whether
or no he could safely venture to defy the
law and go ahead with his pool-selling or
telegraph business, as he termed it.

Attorney Rowe did not, when seen, know
upon what points the case had been decided, and was somewhat reserved about
expressing himself. He said:

"I do not know upon what issues the rulings were made. We had some sixteen or
more exceptions filed beside the plea that
the law was unconstitutional. If the derision is on the latter point, there can be
no question as to what will be the result.
The pool rooms will be thrown wide open
and betting on all races will be allowed. and betting on all races will be allowed.

"If the decision has been rendered because of insufficiency of evidence or some point of that kind, it does not decide the matter as to the operation of the law it-

Al Spink of the South Side track says that it will simply knock the winter tracks clear out. "A pool room gets more money in one day than a winter track does in a year, so that there can be no question as

rear, so that there to the result.

"The decision shows, however, that it is almost impossible to make a case so that the pool-room people are going to take the chance of getting through the courts just as Waish did. To my mind it just reopens the pool-rooms and kills off the racing in

EMPLOYES TAKE STOCK.

The Illinois Central Trying the Co-Operative Plan.

UNCONSTITUTIONAL.

TEXAS TOM WALSH GOES FREE.

TEXAS TOM WALSH GOES FREE.

TEXAS TOM WALSH GOES FREE.

TOWN WALSH GOES FREE.

The string desire on the part of the working force of the road to be in full harmony with the Executive Departments.

The Illinois Central Rall-road officials have before them the applications are coming in at the rate of between 250 and 250 amonth and indicate a strong desire on the part of the working force of the road to be in full harmony with the Executive Departments.

The Illinois Central Rall-road officials have before them the applications of that road who desire to purchase the company's stock. These applications are coming in at the rate of between 250 and 250 a month and indicate a strong desire on the part of the working force of the road to be in full harmony with the Executive Departments.

The Illinois Central Rall-road officials have before them the applications of that road who desire to purchase the company's stock. These applications are coming in at the rate of between 250 and 250 a month and indicate a strong desire on the part of the working force of the road to be in full harmony with the Executive Departments.

The Illinois Central Rall-road who desire to purchase the company's stock. These applications are coming in at the rate of the working force of the road to be in full harmony with the Executive Departments.

The Illinois Central Rall-road with the rate of the working force of the road to be in full harmony with the Executive Departments.

The Illinois Central Rall-road with the exit of the company are now stockholders and it is thought in the company are now stockholders and it is thought in the company are now stockholders and it is thought in the company are now stockholders and it is thought in the compan CHICAGO, Dec. 15.-Illinois Central Rall-

THE CLARKES PARDONED.

Never Committed. HELENA, Mont., Dec. 15.-Gov. Rickards

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Used Knife and Poison.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 15 .- Henry

SEEKING DIVORCE.

Kansas City.

at New Orleans yesterday. It was a bet on Nicolfhi last January that formed the founfation of the case against Will living in Georgia. The state of the city. The menu will be

SPANISH PRETENDER.

No Truth in the Story That Don Carlos Cattlemen's Ultimatum to a Colorado

MADRID, Dec. 15.—The report that Don Carlos, the pretender to the Spanish throne, intends to abdicate his claims in favor of Don Jaimie, his son, which this time originated in a dispatch to the Imparcial from Rome, is without foundation in fact.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The Postmaster General has issued a fraud order against the Merchants' National Union of Chicago, a collection agency.

MORE TIDINGS OF BLOOD FROM THE PHILIPPINES.

MANILLA IS THREATENED

One Hundred and Fifty Prisoners Cavite Rebel and Are Shot Down. MADRID. Dec. 15.-A dispatch received

Manilla is full of anxiety. Bands of insurgents frequently approach that town at night time and fire volleys into the place. A dispatch to the Imparcial from Singamassacre at Cavite, the fortified seapor town of the island of Luzon. One hundred

Containing \$500.

boy rang the door bell at Joseph Cahn's day night and handed Mr. Cahn a small box. day night and handed Mr. Cahn a small box. Then the boy disappeared in the darkness and was joined at the gate by a man, who had not been seen before. Cahn opened the box and found that it contained \$500 in hills. The money was in an exvelope, and was wrapped in a newspaper. There was no explanation of it, other than Cahn's name on the had been able to solve the mystery, and no one has appeared to claim the money Cahn's a retired manufacturer, and thinks the money was returned to him by some person who had swindled him years ago. He is certain that it was not given to him by mistake, as his name was on the box and envelope.

'POSSUM AND 'TATERS.

A Prominent Georgian Files Suit at Newspaper Men Will Revel in Luxu-

ries. Special to the Post-Dispatch.

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, Mo., Dec. 15.—A President of the Street Rallway Company of Augusta, Ga., and who was prominently identified with the Atlanta Exposition, has

GIVEN DAYS TO LEAVE.

Sheep Owner.

ming sheep men is again on. Grif W. Edwards, principal sheep owner in the region, has received two letters from the cattlemen, giving him six days in which to remove his sheep from the disputed strip. Edwards says that as a tax payer in Routt County, Colo., for twenty-two years, he proposes to make a stand, and refuses to be intimidated or driven from the range. Trouble is anticipated.



JOHN L. SULLIVAN WITH HIS "MUTTON CHOPS."

The famous pugilist, who never before wore any hair on his face, except a moustache, and never that when he had a fight on hand, is now adorned with side whiskers. His explanation of his reason for not wearing a full beard is that his nature wouldn't permit him to let the hair have its own way. Respectability, he says, is his aim now, and the "mutton chops" are expected to aid him in the attainment of his ambilion in that line.



EUROPEAN TRAVELERS BY BOMBAY MAIL DISTRIBUTE BREAD TO STARVING PEASANTS IN INDIA. Travelers through India come back with pitiful tales of the misery that has settled upon that famine-stricken country. In spite of millions of bushels of American grain sent there, prices have risen three or four hundred per cent. Crowds of half-starved natives, their bodies emaciated and often feeble with disease, their clothing in tatters, haunt the railway stations and public resorts. Tourists are deeply affected by the scenes of wretchedness and often buy all of the

native bread and biscuit within reach and distribute it among the ravenous masses.

Grain rioting is reported from every quarter of the empire. Most of the districts have established relief works, where grain is doled out to the starving. But the common working folk have long since exhausted their pittances in trying to battle hunger and high prices, and are becoming almost as troublesome as the professional beggars, who are breaking through all control. Charitable institutions and societies are striving to organize relief branches throughout their vicinage, but the ravages of the famine increase rather than diminish. Indian philanthropists are organizing a system of relief shops, in which the starving may get food and work. Their labors have been turned into the digging of wells that the parched fields may be brought into a condition for the growing of crops.

TWO HUNDRED

COMMISSIONER LEE WANTS THE FORCE INCREASED.

THERE IS TOO MUCH CRIME.

Will Present a Resolution for the Em ployment of 200 Specials to the Police Board.

The frequent hold-ups and burglaries have prompted Police Commissioner John A. Lee to take steps toward increasing the number of policemen in St. Leville 1988.

"I have come to the conclusion that the grounds are urged. The statutory with baked sweet potatoes, corn pone, and a ber of our police force," said Police Commisber of our police force," said Police Commis-sioner Lee," and I will to-day present to the Board of Police Commissioners a resolution providing for the employment of 200 emergency specials, to be continued in employment until crime is under better control.

Pope saw his friend falling to the floor with ployment until crime is under better control.

a mortal wound in his head, he placed the "In order to do this an emergency will the condition of his head off, dying almost instantly." ROCK SPRINGS, Wyo., Dec. 15.—The war between Colorado cattle men and Wyoming sheep men is again on. Grif W. Ed-tions now existing fully warrant the declarforce just now, which we will have to do unless an emergency is declared, becuse our

> "I have investigated the matter carefull and find that the Board of Police Commis-sioners has the authority to declare an emergency and employ an additional num-ber of men, and I believe that the Board will approve the resolution, though I do not know that it will."

appropriation will not permit us to carry

FIRE AT A COLLEGE.

Elnathan Hall of a Knoxville Institution Destroyed.

solal to the Post-Dispatch. KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 15.—Einathan Hall of the Knoxville College, a four-story building for young ladies, was burned this morning. The fire originated in one of the bed rooms. The loss is estimated at \$25,000 and is supposed to have been insured. The college is under the care of the United Presbyterian Church of North America and is sustained by contributions from various congregations through the Board of Mis-sions to the Freedmen.

WITNESSES SENTENCED.

Were Convicted of Perjury in the Pearl Bryan Case. as follows:

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 15.-John Sews CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 15.—John Seward and William Trustee, witnesses in the Pearl Bryan murder case, who were convicted of false swearing, were to-day sentenced in Newport, Ky. Seward was given two years and Trustee one year in the Kentucky Pentientiary. They attempted to make the jury believe that Pearl Bryan was behended on the Ohio side of the river and conveyed to Fort Thomas afterward.

BISHOP OF BUFFALO.

The Pope Has Approved the Selection of Dr. James F. Quigley.

ROME, Dec. H.—The Pope has approved the selection of the Rev. James F. Quigley, D. De to be history of Parish J. F.

SHOT DEAD.

Ed Reed, Who Killed the Crittenden Brothers, and Was a Son of Belle Starr.

CLAREMORE, I. T., Dec. 15.-Ed Reed, who one year ago killed the two Crittenden brothers, outlaws, at Wagoner, was himself shot and killed here last night while creat-ing a disturbance. Reed had been arrested earlier in the evening for firing several shots earner in the evening for irring several actions in a saloon, and was placed under bond for appearance later. After being released Reed returned to the saloon brandishing his rereturned to the saloon brandishing his re-volver and was fired at by a Deputy Sheriff

SHOT HIS FRIEND.

FOR TO-DAY.



CLOUDY, TURNING FAIR.

The Weather Bureau forecasts are

THESE ROBBERS TAKE THE MEDAL.

LOOTED A TAILOR SHOP WITH-OUT SECRECY.

THE POLICE WERE NEAR BY.

Robbers Not to Make So

The robbery of A. Rich's tailor shop at 310 North Jefferson avenue at 6 o'clock Tuesday morning was the most daring the police have been told about.

Three men drove up in a one-horse

men replied:
"We know our business and are attending
to it. We will be obliged to you if you will do the same."

After loding the store the robbers drove away with the plunder. They drove past four policemen who were within a block of

When Mr. Rich arrived at his place of business he saw that he had been rebbed, and told the police.

WILL NOT CONFIRM.

Forman, Lionberger and Other Gold Democrats Are to Be Turned Down.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—It is said authoritatively that the Senate will refuse to confirm W. S. Forman as Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Isaac H. Lionberger as Assistant Attorney-General for the Interior

Assistant Attorney-General for the Interior Department, as well as every gold Democrat who left the party.

The Senate Committee on Judiciary will report Forman's nomination unfavorably. Senator Palmer said this afternoon that he thought he had secured enough Republican yotes to confirm him in spite of the unfavorable report.

ALLISON'S CONDITION.

He Is Too Ill to Take His Seat in the Senate.

CUSTOMERS GATHER ABOUT THE DOORS OF THE BANK.

PRICKETT & SON GO UNDER.

The Edwardsville Men Say They Have Not Failed and Will Pay De-

Morris Pope Out of Remorse Then
Killed Himself.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 15.—During a family quarrel to-day Morris Pope shot John Keithline, fatally wounding him. When Pope saw his friend falling to the floor with an onse and the wagon at the time of the revolver in his own mouth and blew a portion of his head off, dying almost instantly.

THE WEATHER

THE WEATHER

The some not cloth and made up garments, loaded them in the wagon and drove off without being molested.

Next door to the tailor shop is a restaurant which was open at the time of the robbery. The restaurant people heard the revolver in his own mouth and blew a portion of his head off, dying almost instantly.

THE WEATHER

THE WEATHER

panic of 1873 payments were suspended for three days. The panic of 1893 was weathered successfully.

Since John A. Prickett practically retired three years ago, the bank's business had fallen off steadily despite the efforts of Harry Prickett to retain the business built up by his father.

The immediate cause of Monday's assignment was a steady and heavy withdrawal of deposite during the past month. Nearly \$50,000 was drawn out in thirty days. When it became evident that demands on the resources of the bank could not be promptly mee if the withdrawals continued an assignment was decided upon. The decision was reached Sunday and the motice displayed on the closed doors of the bank Monday morning stated that J. A. Prickett & Sons had assigned to J. R. Travous and E. D. Gillespie. Travous is the bank's attorney and Gillespie the head bookkeeper. The news of the failure spread rapidly and caused intense excitement. Men and women beseiged the office of Assignee Travous in an effort to find out whether there was any possibility of gatting their money. The first report that went forth was to the effect that the bank was insolvent. Most of those who called on Attorney Travous were under this impression. They were all informed that the bank had only made an assignment and that every cent of its indebtedness would be paid off dollar for dollar. All the bank people asked for was time to resitize on their assets, which they value at \$50,000. As the liabilities are only \$30,000 they believe thay will be alie to meet all obligations.

The statement of the assignmess reasoured the depositors to a certain extent, though many of them are in no position to wait until a settlement can be arranged.

Among the first of the callers at the office of Assignee Travous was Mr. S. & McCorkie, wife of a former well-known Zewardsville preacher.

Dr. McCorkie deposited nearly \$10,000 in the bank a year ago. His health failed an

he bank for years. We paid out \$50,000 in hirty days."
Assignee J. R. Travous says there is no out that every dollar of the bank's inettedness will be paid. Of the \$300,000 assits, he cays about \$15,000 is in cash and \$5,000 in real estate.

"I always told Mr. Prickett that he had ade a great mistake in investing the ank's surplus in real estate, which it is say difficult to realize on. He insisted int he was right and continued to invest that way.

"An assignment was not decided on until inday afternoon, when Mr. Gillespie and yasif met Messrs, John A. and Harry rickett at their home.

"The first step to be taken is the filing an inventory of the assets. Next we will stify all creditors to file claims, and after at we will realize on the assets as soon a possible."

we will realize on the assets as solving signification of the depositors are dissatisfied the selection of Messrs. Travous and spie as assignees. There is a move-on foot to put Alonzo Keiler and B. G. e, two prominent business men, in their s. The sole objection to the assignees at they are not sufficiently versed in less methods to effect a speedy settle-

PLACITUS FALLS.

Insurgents Under Chico Montiagudo Take the Most Important Town in Santa Clara.

DENVER, Col., Dec. 15.-A special to the DENVER, Col., Dec. 15.—A special to the News from Key West says: The insurgent forces operating east of Havana appear to be advancing westward and winning victories as they advance. According to advices received here 600 insurgents, commanded by Chico Montiagudo, have performed the brilliant feat of taking Placitus, which is the most important town in Santa Clara province. Montiagudo and his men belong to the forces under Maximo Gomez, and they seem to have taken the town by

prise.

he insurgents held the town from 6 ock p. m. until 4 a. m., and sacked nearwery store in the place, securing an imase quantity of supplies and a large sum money. They also captured the depot in 10 the Spaniards had stored military plies, securing 2,000 Mauser rifes and 100 rounds of cartridges.

he Spanish authorities admit that the ingents captured Placitus, but say that it sthrough the connivance of the commanof the garrison, who, the Spaniards im, is a relative of Chico Montiagudo, the urgent. It is said that the Spanish commander has been ordered court-martialed.

rother of United States Senator worott.

He wrote that members of the G. A. R.
n Cleveland who were officers in the civil
ear had volunteered to go with the enlisted
nen and assume command of them in Cuba.
In Florida, Louisiana, Georgia and the
sther Gulf States the feeling seems strong
against Spain. It is stated by prominent
Cubans that if vessels can leave this couniry, it will be only a few.days before many
thousands of arms and many chests of
ammunition will be landed within the insurgent lines.

ROME, Dec. 15.—Alexander Salvini, actor, sary, at Columbus, communicated son of Tomaso Salvini, the famous trawith Mr. Pierra, esking information as to the shipping of munitions, the transmission of funds and the forwarding of men to Cuba. Mr. Galbraith said that the people of that city were thoroughly in earnest and that they could be counted upon for larger subscriptions than ever before. In New York City funds have been pour-ing in to aid the Cuban cause, and many in-quiries are made of the Cuban officials as to the best way to transmit funds and sup-plies to the men who are fighting for Cuba.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 15.—The Cuban Junta has established several restricting offices in this State and an effort will be made to take at least 1,000 men from Indiana to fight for Cuban independence. A sentral recruiting office has been opened in his city, and, it is said, the first expedition for Cuba will leave here the latter part of the week. The other offices are at Evansulation for Haute, Fort Wayne, Kokomo and Anderson.

ARKANSAS CITY, Kan., Dec. 15.—Prof. lames Hightower of this city is organizing company of young men to go to Cuba and oin the insurgents. Mr. Hightower has admilistry training, and at one time was a sesident of Cuba. Several young men have milisted, and as soon as the company is completed the Cuba Junta at New York will be applied to for transportation to Cuba.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 15.—Aside from the regiment of Cuban volunteers being organized here under the leadership of Attorney McAndrew, a company of 300 men has been quietly raised by Dr. Homer L. Darnell, a surgeon of the Darnell Sanitarium, and is now ready to start for Cuba as soon as arrangements can be made for their transportation from the Atlantic coast to the island. The members of the company are all said to be men of means, and have armed and equipped themselves at their own expense, and only ask that the Cuban Junta at New York arrange for their safe landing on the company are considered for the transportation of the company.

Launcelot E. Dawson, a prominent physician and surgeon for many of the principal mining companies of Creede, and for the Deaver and Rio Grande Railroad Co. at that place, has written Col. McAndrew offering his services as surgeon of the regiment.



A most exceptional opportunity. We purchased the entire stock of Cloaks of A F. Siegel & Bros., Chicago, largest and greatest Cloak Manufacturing House, at

33c on the Dollar!

This is by far the most important event of the season. Stock consists of the finest goods only. Don't judge them by the prices. These Jackets and Capes are not trash, but honest, stylish, seasonable garments of the most superior grade.

F. Siegel & Bro.'s goods received highest award, World's Fair, 1893. This is the greatest sale of the century. Thousands of modish, correctly tailored Jackets, English Walking Coats, Capes, Suits and Skirts for Ladies, Misses and Children at prices less than the cost of making.

Come early to-morrow and make your selection.

LADIES' COATS.

At \$2.49

English Box Coat Jackets, in all the new mixtures and plain cloths—some boucles—some with high rolling slashed collars; tuff on sleeve. Some with inlaid velvet collar, velvet piping all around collar, down front and around cuffs. Worth \$10.00. While they last.

At \$3.99

Box Coat Jackets, beautifully made; new sleeve, new cuff, new collar; made of English twills and boucles, in blacks, browns and blues. Worth \$12.00. While they last.

\$3.99

At \$4.75

At \$6.98

At this price we include about 200 very fine sample garments; made of finest imported cloths, in serges, boucles and fancy light and dark mixtures. Silk lined throughout. Workmanship superb. Some worth as high as \$35.00. While they last.

\$6.98

LADIES' CAPES.

BROADWAY AND WASHINGTON AV.

At \$2.98 Extra learth double and single Capes, in plain black cloths and fancy mixtures. Work

At \$9.98 About % superior quality Plush Capes, extra length and ex linking; Thibet fur trimmed. Worth up to \$30.00. While they Hundreds of Nobby Suits and Stylish Skirts at one-third the

the list of subscribers to the roll of mem-bership of the Cuban League of the United States organized here. Next Monday evening a mass meeting will be held in Cooper Union under the auspices of the league, and an effort will be made to induce United States Senators and Representatives friendly to Cuba to address the meeting.

THE LION YAWPS.

He Would Like to See Spain Get Into

was through the connivance of the commander of the garrison, who, the Spaniards claim, is a relative of Chico Montiagudo, the insurgent. It is said that the Spanish commenting on the Cuban situation, expresses the hope that the Spaniards "will continue to disregard the vituperation of the fings Senators and abstain from lipitiating them" adding: "The American Government maintains a correct and neutral attitude, and as long as it does so Spain can afford to smile at Senator Chandler's off-hand recognition of the Cuban says: "When the United States, from Mexico and from Paris telegrams have been received by the Caban Junia and by prominent Cubans in New York, in which the correspondents express their sympathy for free Cuba and offer financial assistance to the men who are making a fight for liberty.

One of the most ardent writers was Herbert W. Wolcott, Chairman of the Cuban American League, of Cleveland, and brother of United States Senator Wolcott.

He wrote that members of the G. A. R. in Cleveland who were officers in the civil war had volunteered to go with the enlisted men and assume command of them in Cuban and assume command of them in Cuban and assume command of them in Cuban and Florida, Lousiana. Georgia and the other Gulf States the feeling seems strong seasing Spain. It is a self-size the feeling seems strong seasing Spain.

would call it up to-more resolution for a holiday adjournment from Dec. 22 to Jan. 5, was reported favorably and agreed to. Mr. Morgan (Dem) of Alabama present to the Favorable to the American Chauvinists."

The Popular Romantic Actor Expires at Florence.

ROME, Dec. 15.—Alexandor Salvini, actor, son of Tomano Salvini, the famous training of a six rese coessioned when Sonshing of a six research contribution of a committee of nine Senators "on the use of money in elections." The resolution for a committee of nine Senators "on the use of money in elections." The resolution may manner the choice of Fresidential election, and accertaint to whate characters whether any such expenditures a world; especially to inquire and accertaint to whate state, they are made, the contributions, and what contributions, and what contributions, if any were made to contributions, and what contributions, if any were made to contributions, and what contributions, if any were made to contributions, and what contributions are sent to the clerk's desired of the contribution for committee to send for persons and contributions of the contributions of the contributions of the contributions of the con

Desver and Rio Grande Railroad Co. at his blace, has written Col. McAndrew offerness has services as surgeon of the regiment.

BUTTE, Mont., Dec. 15.—One hundred and at a ble-bodied men of Butte have signed the roll which calls on them to aid the interactions, and the command is ready to retructions, and the command is ready to nove at a moment's notice.

DES MOINES, Io., Dec. 15.—W. D. Olney, breakdent of the local organization of Culture and sympathizers, has over 100 letters from town people who want to go to Cuba to limit for the rebels. Among them are letters from two physicians, one of whom will take his wife. One post of Sons of Veterans in Western Iowa will go in a body if transportation is furnished. A core of officers are done of whom will are not of privates in the lowa National Guard in Western Iowa will go in a body if transportation is furnished. A core of officers are agreed to go under similar circumsuspers of the State to prove that particular to the fact that at the trial the evidence showed that Linck earned but \$40 a month. Of this, \$24 went for this poard and washing and the remainder for the support of his children and in asymments on stock in a building and loan association. In addition, his wife collected the rent from a house he owned.

Even leaving that portion of the testimony out of the question, while the State showed that Linck had no just cause for not living with her, and it was necessary for the State to prove that regative proposition before a legal conviction of the defendant gould be had.

SENATOR ALLEN ASKS FOR AN INVESTIGATION.

WHAT DID RICH MEN PUT UP?

Senator Morgan Speaks on the Cuban Question and Presidential

Taimage delivered the prayer at the opening of the Senate to-day.

In the absence of the Vice-President, Mr.

Frye occupied the chair.

Mr. Hale (Rep.) of Maine reported the pension appropriation bill without amend-ments of any kind and gave notice that he

CRAZY MURPHY REVERSED.

A format and the fined curied to the f

to the Senator, who had anticipated them. "If war with the United States is necessary to reconcile the Spanish people to the loss of Cuba by foreign conquest," said Mr. Morgan, "we shall be compelled to meet that emergency. If the destruction of Cuba is enough to satisfy the popular sentiment of revenge, we can avoid a war with Spain by remaining inactive, while our own people are being ruined or slaughtered along with the Cubans. If we mean to take any action towards stopping this war of anni-hilation and extermination, we have no time to lose." Mr. Morgan spoke of the resolution of Congress at the last assiston, which he said gave to the President the choice of concurrin with the policy of Congress or delaying. The President chose delay. "The war has continued," said Mr. Morgan, "until it has reached the final and desperate stage of a war of devastation and extermination, with the people of Cuba as a prey to those who have set aside the usual honorable usages of warfare, and have become robbers, cutthroats, assassins, ravishers and pirates." Mr. Morgan closed his Cuban speech at

rates."
Mr. Morgan closed his Cuban speech at 2:10 and the Senate then agreed to his resolution calling for information on the Competitor and other cases.
The Allabach pension bill was passed over the President's veto in the Senate—yeas, 41; nays. 11.

MISSOURI SUPREME COURT.

Several Opinions, Some of St. Louis Interest, Were Handed Down.

THE THE PARTY OF T BUY PRESENTS

EAT WHOLESALE PRICES.

Imported Delft Clocks\$1.25 Up

Pearl Opera Glasses.....\$2.25 Up

Brass Beveled Mirrors.....\$2.00 Up AND ALE OTHER FINE GOODS AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

Open 9 P. M. ST. LOUIS OPTICAL CO.

ay no Middlemen's Profits. Our Prices are Only Once Re-

moved from Manufacturer to

THIS IS THE COUPON THAT GIVES YOU A LOT FOR ONE DOLLAR.

Cut this coupon out, and inclose it with one | Fill in name and address on blank below: ollar to the Texas Land Advertising Company, 12 Commercial Building, St. Louis, Mo., and a Varranty Deed will be forwarded to you for Zo Go feet of good high land, at the town of Shepherd, an Jacinto County, on hne of H., E. & W. T. Ry, and within 55 miles of Houston, Tex., on which il notary and county recording fees have been aid. Title perfect and all taxes paid.

References: Adoue & Lobit, Bankers, Galveston, Sx.

All Taxes Paid. · Notary Fees Paid. County Recording Fees Paid. Title Perfect.

What Mr. Norwood,

Gentlemen—Enclosed and sl.ee for lot. I wish I could buy 80 acres. know the country around shapher and I know all you say is true.

W. H. NOEWOOD.





Nebraska, Montana, Puget Sound.

IMPORTANT CAPTURE.

The Colony in St. Louis Feasts and A Man Suspected of the Murder of Andrew Hart.

MARSHALLTOWN, Io., Dec. 18.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

BOUGHT AT TRUSTEE'S SALE Finley & Hull's Clothins S 40c on the Dollar, Now on Se GLOBE, N. W. Cor. 7th and Fran

DEATHS.

BROGAN-Entered into rest Tuesday, Dec.
15th, at 12:05 a. m., James F. Brogan,
beloved husband of Mary A. Brogan.
Funeral Thursday, Dec. 17th, 1881, from
residence, No. 2831 North Spring avenue,
Friends of the family invited to attend.
New York City and Brooklyn (N. Y.)
papers copy.

ANDRY—Entered into rest at his home in Columbia, Tex., Thesday, Dec. 8, at 11 a. m., Alexander V. Landry, aged in years 4 months.

New Orleans papers please copy.

B. Shevlin, beloved husband of Johanna
L. Shevlin and father of John Shevlin, aged 19 years.

Funeral will take place from the late residence, No. 267 Clark ayenue, Thursday, the 17th inst., at 2 a. m. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

Three Little Gold Crackers are colds in one hight. Contain no quin or opiates, 100, & Sc. All druggists.

SAYS HE NEVER

WALTER JACKSON ARRESTED AS A TRAIN ROBBER.

OTHER SUSPECTS BROUGHT IN

Three of Them Are Being Held on Evi dence Which the Police Won't Divulge,

Policemen Rice and Underwood of the Mounted District created a flurry of ex-citement Monday night by bringing in a man securely handcuffed, who, they stated, was in all probability one of the gang who held up the Iron Mountain train at Bates street Wednesday evening. The prisoner said he was Walter Jackson, a cigarmal He denied all knowledge of the hold-up.

The arrest was based on information furnished the police by J. E. Merk, a railroad man living at 1122 Kentucky avenue. He stated that the night before the robbery he noticed two suspicious looking characters hanging around Tower Grove Station. One of them had several sticks of dynamits.

Capt. Reynolds detailed Officers Rice and nderwood to find the two suspects. Merk ild he could identify them, and accommied the officers on their search. About 9 o'clock Monday night the trio eneed a saloon at Fourth and Clark avenue. ckson was at the bar drinking beer. As on as Merk caught sight of him he whisted in the officers:

"There he is; that is the man who had e dynamite."

How Each State Went

During the last election and all prior election since 1864 is shown in the political chi the OWL CAR TIME TABLE, Get one at this office. Free.

STEAMER GOES DOWN.

Only the Captain of the Marie-Fanny Saved His Life.

ROUEN, Dec. 15 .- The French steam Marie-Fanny, from Bayonne for this port, has been totally lost off the Island of Alteen members of the crew were drowned.

HALF MILE LIMIT.

Senator Vest and Mr. Murphy Agree About the New Bridge.

pecial to the Post-Dispatch. WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—Congre man Murphy and Senator Vest have agreed to the half mile limit on the third bridge bill. It will be reported in that way as soon as the conferees can meet.

CHANCE FOR CLOAKS.

Siegel, Hillman & Company's Great

Ladies who revel in the luxury of dainty stylish cloaks are sure to find just what they have been looking for at

One of the greatest cloak sales in the history of the firm is now in progress there. Purchasers are getting values for their money, the like of which are not ordinarily obtainable at much higher prices.

It is the opportunity of a life-time, and the ladies apparently are not slow to take advantage of it, for the store has been crowded since the sale opened Monday morning.

It is a fortunate circumstance that makes it possible for the firm to sell fine cloaks and wraps so ridicuously cheap.

Mr. McCreery's Office.

as Agents Sewall and Falvey took of the office of the Collector of Revenue Tuesday and prepared to office over to Wayman C. McCreery close of business. The revenue irew up schedules of the amount and stamps on hand, for which Mr. y before taking charge will re-Acting Collector Cleveland.

During the last election and all prior ele since 1864 is shown in the political chart with the OWL CAR TIME TABLE. Get

Steamship Movements. YORK, Dec. 15.-Arrived: Spears

To-morrow Bart Readey's new Bar, Bil-hard and Bowling Alley, 213 North Eighth street, will be opened to the public. Mr. W. E. Cavanaugh will manage the Billiard Room and Mr. Gus Bengel the Bowling Al-leys, A cordial invitation is extended to call and receive a souvenin.

We've Reached the Climax of

Successful Merchandising.



Purchased the Entire Contents of the Sample Rooms of Baur & Dotter, New York, Importers of High Art Pottery, Bric-a-Brac, China, French and German Cut Glass, and

THE LEADING CHINA AND CUT-GLASS HOUSE OF THE WORLD,

And We Bought It at 20c on the Dollar.

These goods represent one of a kind from all their factories in Limoges, Carlsbad and Steinschoneau. WE PLACE THESE UNIQUE GOODS ON SALE

TO-MORROW,

And we do not hesitate to say that they are they are the greatest bargains we have ever had the pleasure to offer. Christmas Gift Hunters Who Are Looking for Something Special Will Find This a Bonanza Opportunity.

Cups and Saucers, Plates, Pitchers, Bowls, Salad Dishes, Olive Dishes, Pin Trays, Ash Trays, Comb and Brush Trays, Celery Trays, Bonbon Dishes, Cake Plates, Bread and Butter Plates, Ice Cream Plates, Cracker Jars, Chocolate Pots, Oatmeal Sets, Trinket Sets, Cuspidors, Dinner and Tea Sets,

ALL UNIQUE IN SHAPE AND STYLE.

Owing to the immense variety of the assortment, and to facilitate rapid selling, we have placed them on

BARGAIN TABLES.

Table, goods worth 25c, 50c and 75c.

Table, goods worth

50c Table, goods worth \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00.

75c Table, goods worth \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$5.50.

\$1.00 Table, goods worth \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00.

\$2.00 Table, goods worth \$7.00. \$8.00 and \$7.00, \$8.00 and \$10.00.

YOU KNOW BARR'S CHRISTMAS CROWDS AND WILL TAKE THE HINT TO COME EARLY.

WORKING FOR

IRRIGATION.

MEETING OF THE NATIONAL CON GRESS IN ARIZONA.

SOME PROPOSED LEGISLATION.

Appeals Have Been Made to Congress and Forestry and Irrigation Commissions Suggested.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Dec. 15.-At to-day's ses sion of the National Irrigation Congress Mr. El. R. Moses, chairman of the Executive Committee, submitted the annual report of the committee. The report says:

The work laid out by the Executive Com mittee for 1896 had not been fully accom

plished, nor was it as satisfactory to the members as it would have been if they had not been handicapped in many ways in its advancement. Nearly every Senator and ntative in Congress had been written to and explicitly told what was desired, and their co-operation was asked. A very strong sentiment in flavor of irrigation had been found. The press had given valuable assistance to the cause, and the railroads have shown no lack of interest in the work, many of the officials of the railroads having given personal attention to the work in several ways that had been productive of great good.

good.

Surprising as it may seem to you of the West, the East and South are waking up to the necessity of irrigation even in their own sections, and in many places are experimenting in irrigation for the purpose of making surer and larger crops, which they know will always increase the value of their land. From this source we have been encouraged. Not the least interested

among medicines. It is the reason for the wonderful cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla. It is the explanation of its enormous sales. Hood's Sarsaparilla stands not only upon its record of cures in the past, though this is unequalled by any other medicine, but it is to-day curing thousands of cases of catarrh, rheumatam, scrofula, dyspepsia and many other blood diseases. It is to-day the medicine which the people take to give them health, strength, pure blood.

Sarsaparilla

The Congress should do something besides making speeches. It should legislate, pass a bill or bills embodying the issues it has for years been presenting to the people. The country in general was demanding something feasible, practicable and tangible. They could not at first expect or even think what they did would be perfect. Time and experience would reveal the imperfections and give ample time to perfect them. A bill or bills creating a national irrigation commission and a national irrigation commission and a national forestry commission should be passed. The duty of the irrigation commission should be to look after irrigation in its every shape and form in every State and Territory; to take charge of all irrigation works and property and report directly to Congress or to the Interior or Agricultural Department the progress of irrigation and make such suggestions as would be for its further advancement until every irrigable arid acre is subdued and the unemployed and homeless found peace and plenty upon them.

The necessity for a forestry commission was as important to this country as the forests, for without the former we would soon have none of the latter. Sooner or learn we would not feel the loss of forestry to

was as important to this country as the forests, for without the former we would soon have none of the latter. Sooner or later we would not feel the loss of forests in dollars and cents so much as we would in the use in conserving the waters for irrigation. on.

The committee recommended action upon
the following subjects in the form of bills
or presentation at Washington;
Arid land policy.
Interstate streams.
International streams.

FOUR-CENT CAR FARES.

Chicago City Council Passed an Ordinance Reducing Rates.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.-The Council last night passed an ordinance almost unani-mously requiring all of the surface street railroads to reduce fares to 4 cents per assenger after Jan. 1. The companies

Confirmations. WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15 .- The Sen-

Barker of Mississippi, at Sagua la Grande, Cuba; Frank D. Hill of Minnesota, at San-tos, Brazil: George E. Kedzic, at Durango, Mexico; Samuel M. Simmons of Texas, at Piedras Negras, Mexico; Horace L. Wash-ington of Texas, at Alexandretta, Nica.

BIMETALLIC UNION.

Meeting in Washington to Lay Plans for the Future.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.-A meet ing of the officers and Executive Committee of the American Bimetallic Union began ere to-day, its purpose being to of the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, and incidentally to arrange for the resumption of the publication of the National Bimetallist, the organ of the union. It is stated, however, that the paramount business of the meeting will be to arrange the details for a convention of sil-ver leaders throughout the country with a to arrange the details for a convention of silver leaders throughout the country with a view to the inauguration of a comprehensive organization in behalf of silver. It is said to be the desire of at least some of the officers of the union to call together in this convention the officers of all of the State silver organizations, including the silver Populist leaders, and the ablest men generally in the white metal movement, and perfect a plan of operations to be begun in the near future and continue at least through the campaign of 1900.

The officers of the union are: A. J. Warner of Ohio, Presidents, and R. C. Chambers of Utah and Henry G. Miller of Illinois, Vice-Presidents. The Executive Committee consists of those named above, and J. B. Grant of Colorado, Joseph Battel of Vermont, Senator Stewart of Nevada, Senator Marion Butler of North Carolina, Thomas G. Merrill of Montana and H. F. Bartine, formerly editor of the Bimetallist.

Political Pointers.

Free silver voters of Sullivan, Ill., have It is said the Kansas Farmers' Alliance will disband in January. The copyright bill has been passed s ready for the President's signature Stephen C. Woodson claims to have sure thing on the St. Joseph Post-office. The new Library building at Washington will not be used for the inauguration ball. hold over
Joseph H. Choate announces himself a
candidate for United States Senator from
New York. Gov. Bradley claims that under the law he can appoint a United States Senator af-ter March 4.

Buck Hinrichsen thinks he will be re-elected Chairman of the Illinois Democrat-ic State Committee. The Government was made richer Tuesday by \$1,020, contributed by two men whose consciences hurt them. lengtor Stewart has asked for a receiver r his paper, the Silver Knight, claiming be \$22,000 out on the venture.

LILLIAN RUSSELL'S INJURY. Her Bicycle Mishap Necessitates Surg

ical Treatment.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.-Lillian Russell hi cancelled her Ohio engagements this week and will return to New York for surgical treatment, owing to the bieyele accident which occurred some time ago. After the surgical operation Miss Russell will rehearse for her appearance in Kerker McClellan's opera, "An American Beauty, which will have its first metropolitan pro-fuction at the Casino Bec. 25.

It Down

St. Louis' Greatest Grocery Store.

Quality is always the best, and the price will be the least that any one will allow you to pay.

GROCERY SPECIALS

For Wednesday and Thursday.

for ... lice Fine Old Fort or Sherry Wine, 5 years old, per gallon 85c, 20c a bottle 3 bottles for ... 55c Genuine Guckenheimer Rye Whisky, 8 years old, never sold for less than 4 a gallon, our price ... 28 Falmouth Whisky, 4 years old and guaranteed to be strictly first-class goods, per gallon ... \$2.00

Luyties Brothers, St. Louis' Greatest Grocery Store,

518- Franklin Av. חטשחההחחהה

A happy surprise for the children occurs at HILTS' BIG SHOE EMPOBIUM Wednesday, between 10 s. m. and 12 m. The Doil Shoes go that day for 3c per pair. Be sure and get there early. Sixth and Franklin av.

BOUGHT AT TRUSTEE'S SALE. Finley & Hull's Clothing Ste

Cook Stoves and Ranges Are Just as Perfect in Their Way as the Famous

RADIANT HOME HARD COAL BASE HEATERS.

SPLENDID BAKERS, FINE LOOKING and POPULAR PRICED.

MOORE'S AIR-TIGHT HEATERS ARE HEATING STOVES VALUED

BY CAREFUL HOUSEKEEPERS. They use very little coal, give an even, gentle heat, make no dust when ashes are taken out, and will keep the

fire longer than any other stove. Elegant, substantial and no more expensive than the common heating stoves.

414 N. Broadway, and all Leading Dealers.



St. Louis Post-Dispatch,

THE PULITZER PUBLISHING CO. Founded by JOSEPH PULITZER.

CHARLES H. JONES, Editor and Manager. Office 513 Olive Street. TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

BY CARRIER, ST. LOUIS and SUBURBS ally and Sunday-Per Week....10 Cents ally and Sunday-Per Month....45 Cents Per Month 20 Cents
BY MAIL-IN ADVANCE.

Daily and Sunday—Per Annum., \$6 00 Daily and Sunday—6 Months..... \$3 00 and Sunday-Per Month ... 60 Cents nday-Per Annum..... **61 00** Weekly-One Year50 Cents

Daily and Sunday, by carrier, in towns outside of L. Louis. 15 cents a week, 60 cents a month. Week

it occurs a week.

By money order, draft, or in registered Don't send checks on your local bank.

rice of the Post-Dispatch on all railroad trains all railroad stations outside of St. Louis will NTS per copy daily and 5 CENTS Sundays, who is charged a higher rate than this will report same to us, giving name of road or and number of train.

POST-DISPATCH, St. Louis. Entered at the Post-office at St. Louis as second

TELEPHONE NUMBERS.

THE S. C. Beckwith Special Agency.

Agent Foreign Advertising.

48 Tribune Building, New York,

And 469 The Rookery, Chic

LEADER things: The Post-Dispatch City Circulation Greater than that of any two other St. Louis newspapers, morning or afternoon, COMBINED.

AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

CENTURY-May Irwin.
FOURTEENTH STREET-"Dorcas. OLYMPIC-"A Parlor Match." HOPKINS'—Continuous.'
HAVLIN'S—"The White Slave."
STANDARD—"Night Owls" Company.

MATINEES TO-MORROW. CENTURY-May Irwin.
FOURTEENTH STREET-"Dorcas."
OLYMPIC-"A Parlor Match." HAGAN-Continuous. HOPKINS'-Continuous. STANDARD-"Night Owls" Company.

THE CASE OF FORMAN.

The Senate Committee of Finance will report in favor of the rejection of W. S. Forman for Commissioner of Internal Revenue and a strong effort will be made in the executive session of the Senate to secure the adoption of the committee's

This is as it should be. Public office is a public trust. It should not be used to reward political treachery. Mr. Forman has no claim of any kind upon a Democratic President or a free silver Senate. On his merits he would not have been thought of by President Cleveland in con-nection with such an appointment as that of Commissioner of Internal Revenue. His nomination was due solely to the fact that in the recent campaign he deserted, abused and helped defeat the party that preferment he had ever achieved. Pressolely because he thought it would be particularly offensive to certain of the Democratic leaders.

The use of public offices to gratify po-

litical and personal spite is the gravest possible abuse of a public trust. Nothing better could be expected of President Cleveland, whose hypocritical cant about civil service reform is now well understood. But the power of confirmation was vested in the Senate in order that it migh prevent just such attempts to use a public office as a private snap. It should exercise that power in Forman's case and in all similar cases.

THEY CAN BEAT IT

It is already apparent that the Republicans in the next Congress will not be a unit in favor of the annexation of Hawaii. The New England contingent of course sorption of the Hawaiian bonded dent, which New England holds. And all the Congressmen Claus Spreckels can control will favor the same things.
There will be enough Republicans, how

ever, acting in conjunction with the Democrats to defeat annexation. These will want a protectorate established in the islands, to which there can be no serious objection urged, if the Hawaiians really want such a protectorate and are willing

What the Democrats in Congress should do is to defeat the scheme of annexation, bounty and boodle. They can do it.

A GOVERNOR WITH "VIEWS."

The new Governor of Washington has, at the very outset of his official career, put himself in a position which, if he maintains it, will afford him all the ex-He wants land made free of taxatio

and says that such a plan "will prevent that fatal clash of the classes otherwise inevitable." Why, the Single Taxers, from Henry George down, have been and are contending that land should be the only thing taxed to "prevent that fatal clash of the classes otherwise inevitable."
And as the Single Taxers are a very "argifying" lot of people, it is clear that the new Governor of Washington will touch of the course of the off his administratom with an ex-

and refreshing. Other people have fact, many of them are Eastern people thought that we are too much burdened who have come West to grow up with the with officialism, but no one has been bold enough to dery the Sheriff, and, worse still, the Coroner, the two officers upon whom the majesty of all county govern-

The new Governor of Washington is evidently a man it will do to keep an

DRIVE OUT THE ASSASSINS. The news from Cuba regarding Maceo's death is still conflicting, but there seems of the Republican Presidents the hisbetter reason for accepting the Cuban version rather than the Spanish as substantially true. .

Maceo was admitted to be a cautious

and experienced leader. It is impossible boundary line having been settled, the to believe that he would have been found Governors of these two great commonwhere he was with only a small staff, unless he was inveigled there by a flag of truce or some other device. It is equally came together. difficult to believe that Dr. Zertucha could have escaped the fate of the rest and been afterwards received with honor in Havana, unless there was treachery to Maceo on his part. Moreover, throughout the war the Cuban news regarding important occurrences has proved uniformly more reliable than that sent out from the

Captain-General's palace. There is therefore good reason to believe that Maceo was assassinated. If so, it was one of the foulest crimes of the century. And it was perfectly in accord with all that is known of Weyler's methods. To dignify the butcheries he has been perpetrating in Cuba with the name of warfare is to repudiate all that civilization has gained over the brute methods

of savages. The United States have assumed a grave responsibility in regard to the have formally and publicly notified other nations that they must keep hands off. Our Government is therefore morally responsible for any further continuance of hese outrages. If they continue, it will

share their infamy. Just as soon as Maceo's assassination is confirmed, Congress should act without a day's delay. President Cleveland is committed to the policy of conciliating Spain, and with characteristic obstinacy will stick to it. But in such matters Congress is not bound to follow the President's lead. It should obey the plain mandate of the American people.

THE LIGHTING CONTRACT.

The form of contract to be made with the lighting company or companies that will do the city lighting after 1900 is certainly definite and specific in terms. It Grandfather Adam's fig-leaf. seems to leave nothing to chance and allows no opportunity for evasion.

Under its terms the Board of Public improvements is clothed with very large powers. The Board may, at its discretion, withhold payments for lamps not up to specifications or which it may declare "out of service" for fallure to meet requirements. In addition to the \$100,000 bond of the contractors 5 per cent of their earnings are to be withheld until \$100,000 is accumulated as an additional guarantee or indemnifying fund.

A more comprehensive contract or one in which the public interest is better protected could hardly be devised. Muhave, however, been made before and falled to serve the best public ends for want of proper enforcement. Much will depend upon the Board of Public Improvements in which these large powers compel specific performance are lodged. If that Board, at any time, fails in its duty, this contract will be found to be of as little value as one providing for

against public robbery.

The provisions defining causes of forfeiture and vesting the power to declare a Sumte forfeitures in the Board have been found States. in many municipal contracts. Actual for-feitures, however, have been few, although palpable violations of contract

have been many.

The Board of Public Improvements is to be congratulated. It has made a contract which needs nothing but enorcement to make it a public benefaction,

"SOME DAY." The question of street car fares is to be before the Illinois Assembly during the

coming session. in all cities of more than 100,000 inhabitants are to be introduced in both House

and Senate. This may mean much or it may mean little. Chicago boodle Aldermen have been sandbagging the street railroad companies of that city for several years with bers of the Legislature to have some of the "graft." The course of events at Springfield will determine whether this suspicion is justified or not.

Some of these days a well-managed street railway corporation will figure it out that there is more money in a franchise, bought at auction, and conditioned on percentage and 3-cent fares than in perpetually paying swarms of lobbyists, "fixers," "managers," "pullers," "pushers," blackmailers, sandbaggers and

grafters. Some shrewd corporation man will find this out some day.

It is asserted that a great majority of the thieves and thugs of Chicago are boys in their teens, some of them mere children. The fact is thus emphasized that reformatory and preventive measures should be directed toward the young. sede us any advantages in exchange | The millionaire who builds an educational home for children that can be rescued is much more useful citizen than the one who starts a university.

Mr. Bonebrake of Kansas hits hard when he reminds the Eastern Repub icans that a few years ago the people of Kansas were so intensely Republican that they accepted the teachings of Sherman, Allison, McKinley, Ingalls and the Re publican party generally, when were is-sued four hundred and sixty-six millions of flat silver between 1873 and June 30,

As the free silver men carried the Dela-ware Legislature, it will be contrary to the usages of politics for them to send a gold man to the United States Senate. Mr. Bryan is perfectly right in insisting that a free silver Legislature should el a free silver Senator.

What Senator Allen says of Nebraska dations as to the abolian. States are just as intelligent as their thren and just as honest. In

country.

Wales is perhaps wondering to-day why mamma doesn't follow the beautiful par-ental example of papa Don Carlos. He should reflect that it is always easier for a royal parent to give up a prospective throne than to renounce the real article.

Fragments of the Auditorium ought to be valuable to Republicans as relics. Should Mr. McKinley prove to be the last torical societies of the future might bid something on them.

The dispute over the Missouri and Iowa wealths may now meet each other as cordially as the Carolina executives once Three banks in Pennsylvania and one

in Illinois have just closed their doors. There dges not seem to be so much conthey voted so heavily for advance agent McKinley.

lenders may prove a blessing to those communities. There has been too much borrowing, and richer States have fattened on large interest.

Is there no way to immunize the hog? science to find a check for this destructive

St. Louis has had to pay the piperthat is to say, the iron piper Cubans and the world at large. They much. Her wasted \$50,000 explains pretty Weir Mitchell of Philadelphia, Joseph Jacobs clearly why trusts are organized in this country.

All through the summer months Senator Quay trained with the millionaires. Now he "goes into the barricades with the bourgeoisie and the men in blouses."

When the books in the Congressional Library shall number 4,500,000 volumes and occupy nearly 100 miles of shelving, shall we have wiser Congresses?

Also Mr. McKinley's domestic life is one "grand, sweet song." Were it not for his discordant high tariff ditties Mr. McKinley would do very well.

Nature abhors a vacuum, but Carnegie | were annoying him.

armor-plate would not disturb the serenity of that amiable patriot. There is but one Republican in the Idaho Legislature and he also will doubtess be wiped out now that the women of the Empress

the new State can vote. The Public Library is gaining readers by thousands. With the Public Library and the Post-Dispatch, St. Louis readers

are in very good shape. The movement in France for international bimetallism is reported to be

Should Rivera prove to be a greater man than Maceo, the murder of Maceo will have been only another of Spain's blunders.

Dr. Young understand that they are not contingencies and safeguards so black as they have been painted. The assassination of Maceo is almost a Sumter gun to the people of the United

Chicago's shoe trade does not develop in proportion to her feet.

A Real Business Man.

in a proscriptive policy, and I am ready to gauzy robes caught fire and she was burn-receive the patronage of all clauses of people. If the silver men start a daily here that will The Siddons memorial statue. from the start. I make it a rule never to hand is a dagger, while her right arm rests carry politics into my business, and you can upon the arm of the chair. panies of that city for several years with reduced fare ordinances. Their success only be glad of their support, but I will may have determined some Chicago mem-

Reflections of a Bachelor.

From the New York Press. When a girl gives a mian a sensible Christ-

wan't have to wear suspenders to keep their could see a thing.—Detroit Tribune. Maybe women like small waists so they clothes up.

The object of women's suffrage clubs is to

and darning sockings. This Sounds Plausible.

From the Indianapolis Journal.
"I wonder what got Bluebeard started to cutting off his wives' heads?" "Very likely the idea occurred to him while he was at the theater behind a big

A Mucual Friend.

From the Cinch Bobby: Popper, what is a mutual friend?

Mr. Ferry: He is generally one who
makes it his business to see that you don't
miss hearing the mean things your friends
say about yeu.

A Convenient Winter Resort. m the Chicago Chronicle. It is among Obcago's strong recommen-dations as a winter resort that it is so easy to run away from in any direction.

BECOMPENSE Excessive pleasure always brings great sor

From us some cherished feeling, which will the helpt when full of darker musings. Oft In Late dark waters so 'tis borne zioft. WILLIS LEONARD CLANAHAN. IN THE PUBLIC EYE.



MAJOR GENERAL JUAN RIOS RIVERA This Cuban leader, who assumed command of the insurgent forces in the prov ince of Pinar del Rio after the death of General Antonio Maceo, is a man who has fidence in these States as there was when repeatedly been designated by Maceo as his legitimate successor. Rivera is a pureblooded white man, a native of Puerto Rico, born in 1847. He participated in the Blacklisting the silver States by money Ten Years' War and joined Maceo last September, becoming his second in command.

MEN OF MARK.

Sir Edward Clarke, the eminent English barrister, is said to have an income of The enormous losses in the West this \$100,000 a year from his law practice. His year from hog cholera should stimulate fee for defending Mrs. Castle, the wealthy Californian who was accused of shoplifting was \$5,000

At a meeting of the Graduate Club of the University of Pennsylvania on Monday evening the guests of honor were Dr. S. of London, and President E. D. Warfield of Lafayette College.

When Capt. Evans was at Valparaiso some years ago, during the Balmaceda affair, he brought the bumptious Chilian commandante of that place to time by informing him that "hell will smell of garlic to-morrow morning unless you do as I say. News has been received of the death in

Paris on Nov. 28 of Count von Moltke Hvitfeldt, Danish Minister to France. His son, Count Adam von Moltke-Hvitfeldt, i engaged to be married to Miss Bonaparte of Baltimore, great-granddaughter of Jerom Bonaparte.

It is figured out that Richard Croker's would exactly fit the villains who sent truck farmer Keaner home bare of even Grandfather Adam's fig. loc. as a relief from insomnia and other ills that

doesn't. A blow-hole in every piece of our The Berlin artist, Prof. Adolf Henning, recently celebrated his diamond wedding in that city. The Berlin Academy of Arts, of which Henning has been a member since 1839, sent a deputation of five of its members to convey him its congratulations, and once, and did it easily; and then, after ap-

WOMEN OF NOTE.

Miss Helena T. Goessmann, a daughter of give a course of four lectures on the hiswill be held in New Orleans beginning March 4.

Marguerite Evelyn Yost is a 14-monthsold miss of Reading, Pa., who rejoices in could not ignore all the parliamentary for-the rather unique distinction of having malities. He could not make the motions four great grandmothers living. But one of these great-grandmothers wears spec-The lady minstrels would like to have

In a talk with one of the biggest adver-tisers in Louisville the other day I was surprised at the kindly feeling he expressed bag bas bear the kindly feeling he expressed has just met with a shocking death. While oward the proposed silver daily. He said:
"While I am a gold man, I do not believe dressing to attend a wedding her light, gauzy robes caught fire and she was burn-

print the news and will be a first class Henry Irving will unveil on Paddington fournal, I will not hesitate to duplicate the Green, London, is nearing completion. The contract I now have with the Courier-Jour- statue, life-size, shows Mrs. Siddons in nal. Of course I expect it to receive the seated position, in Grecian costume, her support of the free silver men throughout head surmounted by a coronet, and a veil the State, and it will have a good circulation falling over her shoulders. In her left

THE DAILY JOKER

Feminine Logic-Dolly: I'm glad I don't say a "few words" on the Dingley bill. Sen like oysters. Cholly: Why? Dolly: Because if I liked 'em I'd eat 'em, and I hate 'em.-New York Evening World.

The Eye of Love-"Let's see," remarked mas present she doesn't think very much of the youth and the damsel; and then they turned down the gas until nobody else "You think Noah had a pair of every

No matter how regularly a man goes to kind of animal and insect in his ark, do church, as soon as he gets baldheaded the you? Where did he keep his bees, for in-women all get suspicious of him. -Boston Journal.

The object or women that domestic life in Marienbad—"See here, waiter, why is means nothing more than washing dishes the mirror hung so low in my bedroom?" "The proprietor ordered it, sir. He says proaching instead of having just been held. that all people want to see is whether their walsts are growing smaller."-Fliegende Blatter.

All Seasons for Its Own-"Ice is an awfully ruinous thing," sighed Cholly. "In winter whole towns are bankrupted by ice gorges, and in the summer the young men are bankrupted by ice cream gorges!"-Chicago Tribune.

TOO BLUNT.



Polsey robotnicy w St. Louis

St. Louis, Mo., 25. listopada, 1898.— Szanowna Redakcyo Kuryera Polakiego! — Na mityngu polskiego oddziału klubu robotników Bryana w St. Louis, Mo., odbytym w poniedziałek 23. listopada w St. Louis hali, przyjęto następująca rezolucyę: "Ponieważ dowiedzieliśmy się, że niektórzy kupcy w St. Louis bojkotują pułkownika Chas, H. Jones i gazete jego "Post Dispatch" z powodu ich pracy pod-

czas ostatniej kampanii; i Ponieważ jesteśmy przekonani, że dziennik "Post Dispatch" jest przyjacielem i sprzymierzeńcem wszystkich robotników i w walce ludu walczył przeciw połączonym siłom monopolów i przekupionej klasy prawodawstwa; i

Ponieważ uważamy, że obowiązkiem naszym jest wiernie stać przy naszych przyjaciołach i pracować ze wszystkich sił, aby we wszystkich sprawach uzyskać sprawiedliwość; przeto Postanowiono, iż polski oddział klubu

robotników Bryana w St. Louis usilnie popiera walkę i mężne wystąpienie dziennika "Post Dispatch", i uznaje jego wielką pracę około dobra ludu roboczego i wzywa wszystkich członków tego klubu i naszych przyjaciół, aby abonowali i werbowali abonentów dla "Post Dispatch", i przyrzekamy, że także będziemy się o to starali, ile nam sił starczy; dalej

Postanowiono, iż potępiamy stanowczo bojkotowanie tej gazety jako nieamerykańskie i jako cios wymierzony przeciw wolności mowy i prasy, i że będziemy kupować towary tylko od takich kupców, którzy się ogłaszają w "Post Dispatch"; i dalej

Postanowiono, iż odpis tej rezolucyi ma być postany do "Post Dispatch" i do polskiego dziennika "Kuryera Polskiego" w Milwaukee do publikowania."

Nastepny mityng polskiego oddziału robotników klubu Bryana w St. Louis odbedzie się 14. grudnia w St. Louis hali, Broadway i Biddle ul.

Fr. S. Kowalski, Sekr. Klubu polskiego Reed and McKinley.

From the Cincinnati Enquirer. The fact about the matter is that Mr. Reed He defeated the Major for the Speakership sent him the golden jubilee pointing him chairman of the Committee on medal. Prof. Henning was born in Berlin | Ways and Means, ran the committee and in 1809. ingly pleased. He made a new and radical set of rules, and required Chairman McKinley and other Republican leaders to eat the indignant speeches they had themselves Prof. Goessmann of Amherst College, is to made in a cormer Congress against the very parl'amentary departure Mr. Reed then proposed. The truth is that Mr. Reed is bossed by him. He came to lock upon the Major as an instrument in the Fifty-first Congress. Even the daring man from Maine malities. He could not make the motions him elf, but he could decide whether they were in order or not. He had to have some-



Mary had a little lamb, But swiftly that lamb grew Young Mary she went, tool A Scare in the Senate.

the New York Press. The sleepy old Senate has not had i years such an awakening as Judge Alle gave it the other day, when he arose to ators looked at their notebooks and calendars, and figured up the time of their en braskan. The fossiliferous Finance Committee heaved a sigh, and Vice President

Stevenson shook himself out of a doze.

The Money Power at Work. From the Kansas City World. The Republican party, which is the representative of the money power, is as busy laying its plans and concentrating and unifying its forces as if an election were ap-

A Theater Hat Rhyme. To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
Please publish this in the People's Forum,
and I hope it will do some good:

While I was down at Hopkins' upon last Sunday Mat (inee) A lady sat in front of me, who wore a "lovely" hat. A lady friend was with her, who wore a large one, too,
And there I sat in misery, not knowing what to do.

quite amused; He offered me his overcoat to elevate my views. But soon they took their hats off, but no at my request, and I can safely say to them it gave my

A man that sat behind me at them se

girls, they could take their bats off and show their pretty curls. Now, ladies, don't get angry, for what I say

But girls I am not the only one who swor

"A PAUL"

THE THEATERS.

"Dorcas," as presented by the Evs Dave Theater, is an improvement on Pauline Hall's production of the merry little operation of the mer

envied. She is well known in New York, where she has been in demand for several years as an interpreter of "shape" roles, but came to St. Louis practically unheralded. ed. Her voice is pleasing and, in the upper register, delightfully rich and warm. She is young, and with her beauty and talent it will be surprising if she does not take rank among the great contraltos. Her rank among the great contraitos. Here friends should advise her, however, that her flaxen wig and tan cloak in the first act do not bring out the beauty of her face in its full measure. Miss Eva Davenport has the Malapropian part of Grissida. She is absurdly funny in her prodigious hoop skirt and red wig, and she invests her lines with an unchange humon that keeps the with an unctuous humor that keeps the audience from remembering that most of her blunders are as old as the idea of the character. Marie Millard is self-conscious and constrained in menner, and her voice has its limitations, but she is pretty and sings sweetly. She is better in duets than has its limitations, but she is pretty and sings sweetly. She is better in duets than in solos. The chess song by her and Mr. Bassett is a delightful number. Minnie Jarboe, who plays Dorcas, is a clever little thing with a nice voice. William Broderick sings and acts the part of Lord Lambourne as well as he did with Miss Hall. Chas. O. Bassett, in the role of Lord Beaureguard, makes excellent use of his light, but highly culitivated tenor voice. Fred Frear as Lubin Mugby gives the low comedy role considerable prominence. His singing is superior to his acting. "Dorcas" is a delightful comedy with operatic features.

The change of bill at the Hagan yesterday attracted enough people to keep the house filled all the afternoon and all the evening. Among the features this week are: Mrs. Shaw end her two daughters in their whistling specialty; Mason and Manola, the Nelson family of acrobats; the two Tanakas, Johnnie William and twenty others.

The change of bill at the Hagan yesterday attracted enough people to keep the house filled all the afternoon and all the evening. Among the features this week are: Mrs. Shaw end her two daughters in their whistling specialty; Mason and Manola, the Nelson family of acrobats; the two Tanakas, Johnnie William and twenty others.

"The White Slave" is drawing well at Havlin's. The play is old but popular. The company is a good one and the production elaborate in a scenic way.

There was not a policeman in sight, and Stewart did not stop to search for the Mrs. Stewart did not stop to search for the Mrs. Stewart did not stop to search for the Mrs. The play is old but popular. The company is a good one and the production elaborate in a scenic way. sings sweetly. She is better in duets than

Havlin's. The play is old but popular The company is a good one and the production elaborate in a scenic way.

At the Standard Fred Rider's New Night Owls, aided by the Vitascope, are pleasing two audiences daily. Morris' Twentieth Century Maids are booked for next week at this house, and the scenery is being covered with asbestos.

NOT EVEN A PRAYER. An Absolutely Free Supper Will Be

Given by the Theosophists. "We believe every man is entitled to three square meals a day," said Mr. Burchard Harding, the Theosophist from New York, who is rallying the believers in

of these great-grandmothers wears spectacles, and all live within a short distance of the home of this presumably well-coddled miss.

There are some flies in the Bernhardt ointment. Three of the most illustrious members of the Legion of Honor have asked the President of the French Republic to bestow the decoration on Mme. Sarah Bernhardt. M. Faure declines. He fears the example would become contagious.

Bedric Hanem, the Circassian Princess

Bedric Hanem, the Circassian Princess

body on the floor to propose that which he desired to accomplish, and that man was naturally the chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, who is generally looked upon as leader of the majority on the floor. It was well understood that Maj. McKinley did not have to make large drafts on his sweets, and tea, coffee or milk. Members of the Theosophical Society eat with them and converse on any subject that presents itself maturally. There is no praying. Even the invocation of a blessing on the food is omitted. Nobody tells about mahamas, or thought transference, or transference, or grand-market.

ible.
"All we want," said Mr. Harding, "is to lemonstrate that kindness is a natural atribute of humanity. The welfare of all nankind is an object of Theosophy, and we believe one way to secure it is to establish the brotherhood of man through kindlish the brotherhood of man through sharess."

Tickets for 130 guests have been issued for Thursday evening's free supper, and care will be taken to provide plenty of good, wholesome food.

Mr. Harding will lecture to-night, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights at Fraternal Hall. Eleventh street and Franklin avenue. He devotes some time after each lecture to answering questions.

BARRED BY A TROCHA. Aged Sergeant McFarland Has It In for the P.-D. Man.

A trocha has been established at the For gagements three days ahead. All were prepared to escape, when Chandler popped up like a jack-in-the-box and shut up the Netion should he enter the sacred precincts of tion should be east the sactor product the desk sergeant.

Because the reporter published an article stating that the police were suppressing the facts of a burglary after having recovered a cut-out lock, Capt. O'Mailey and his clerks considered that they had sufficient grounds to keep the reporter out of the relies attains.

his cierks considered that they had sufficient grounds to keep the reporter out of the police station.

The reporter appeared as usual Tuesday morning, and in passing the property-desk inside of the railing he was stopped by Sergt McFarland, whose age gives him a lease on his position.

Without provocation the Sergeant heaped a pile of vituperation upon the reporter, ordered him out of the station, and gave the order that thereafter he should not pass beyond the railing. The railing was made a trocks.

An explanation was demanded and this

An explanation was demanded, and this

THREE NEGROES IN JAIL.

Their Alibi Would Not Hold Water

Ed Fleming, John Fleming and Robert Long, all colored, were held for the St. Chir County Grand-Jury in Justice Healey's court in East St. Louis this morning for perjury. Their bonds were fixed at \$30 each, and in default they will be sent to the Belle

ville Jail.

Ed Fleming was arrested last Friday on suspicion of speaking into Joseph Bey-kirch's grocery store and rushing out the back door with an empty money draws.

Fleming was formerly a porter in the store and the information agents him filed by Mr. Bey kirch, at the preliminary hearing this morning framing exacts the preliminary of the present this work to be the preliminary than the preliminary t ville Jail. etore and the information count filed by Mr. Beyidroh, At the pro-hearing this mertiles running proper a thin by an treatment property of the pro-brother, John, and Rebert Long, who y of the attemp

HIS WATCH CHAIN BROKEN

with her parents in Stewart place, away out beyond the Christian Brothers College, and about two blocks south of Easton av-

It's a long way from the Lindell Hotel

up, but the fellow darted down a dark alley and escaped.

There was not a policeman in sight, and Stewart did not stop to search for one. He picked up his watch, found that the fall had not injured it and hurried to the hotel to relate his experience.

He told his story all right until one of his auditors inquired why he left the car at Tenth street, when the Lindell Hotel is four blocks further east.

"Well, it was only half past nine, you know," replied Mr. Stewart, "and I wanted to see a person over on Franklin avenue," an explanation which his friends pretended to accept, but didn't, because they did not consider it probable that a man would leave his sweetheart so early in the evening.

TRAPPED BY A SOILED DOVE. Wilson and Miles Are Now Locked Up

as Burglars. St. Louis.

"We can't provide them now," he continued, "but we are determined that some of the destitute shall have at least one good feed without having to pay for it."

This was in explanation of the Free Brotherhood supper which will be given thursday evening at the Odessa restaurant. The unique feature of these suppers, of which ten have been given in this country recently, is that they are free in every sense. There is no obnoxious woodplie, no prayer service, no anything which the untrammeled hungry man could consider irk.

The idea, as explained by Mr. Harding, is to show to the members of the unfortunate class that a kind action is not invariably accompanied by a derign on either the muscle or the soul of man. Tickets are is sued to men who need a good meal, and they are fed on meat, vegetables, bread, sweets, and tea, coffee or milk. Members of the Theosophical Society eat with them and converse on any subject that presents, itself maturally. There is no praying, Even the invocation of a blessing on the food is omitted. Nobody tells about maning at the Ordon is not invariably to his seleptif, but they would not believe it. They dared her to show her mand converse on any subject that presents itself maturally. There is no praying, Even the invocation of a blessing on the food is omitted. Nobody tells about maning at the ordon of souls or any of the dogmas of Theosophy, unless a custion is a better the police, and May, and the subject that presents itself maturally. There is no praying, Even the invocation of a blessing on the food is omitted. Nobody tells about maning at the provided the "swas" with her. Lottle got frightened and told May. The latter informed the police, and Monday night May, Sergeant Costello and Patrolmen Connell and Rocke hid in the store unmen Connell and Rocke hid in the store unm Lottie Williams had fun with Anson Wilnight May, Sergeant Costelle and Patrol-men Connell and Roche hid in the store un-der May's rooms. Then Lettis tripped down the street to a wine room. She met Miles and Wilson and acted according to the instructions of the pelice. "Oh, May's gone out carriage riding and is on a big drunk," said Lettis. "Where's her money?" asked one of the men.

"Where's her money?" asked one of the men.

"There's \$85 behind the picture in the front room, and the key to the street door is on the step."

The men hurried to 1862, opened the street door and hurried upstairs to the door that lets visitors into May's beudoir. They were working at the lock, when a voice from the street ordered them to halt. It was May, and she enforced the command with a few oaths and a pistol.

The men hurried downstairs and then the was May, and sne enforced the command with a few oaths and a pistol. The men nurried downstairs and then the police came from their hiding places. Miles and Wilson are down on the books of the Fourth District Station as burgiars.

The Unloaded Pistol Went Off With Usual Results. Slingwein will not play the Joseph Slingwein will not play theater any mora. He and his little brother did it yesterday afternoon. Now Joseph is a patient at the City Hospital, and there is a big hole in his neck where a bullet plowed its way through.

Joseph is it years old and lives at 1507 South Third street. He whitewashes for a living. He has a 14-year-old brother, Eddie, who is not old enough to work. Joseph has a chest where he bocks his brushes, tools, etc. The chest is kept in the wood shed.

THEY "PLAYED THEATER."

reifth annual seumon and dis ve action to to

TO SAVE HIM FROM HIMSELF.

LEAGUE MAGNATES GOING TO GIVE VON DER AHE A NINE.

KERR MAKES A

"Pop" Chadwick on the Coaching Rules-Sullivan's Gray Hair -General Sporting.

The base ball world is beginning to shake off its winter drowsiness and get a move on liself. Next Friday Tommy Dowd starts East as envoy extraordinary and minister

tiself. Next Friday Tommy Dowd starts East as envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary, representing the great C. Von der Ahe of Sportsman's Park and the St. Louis Base Ball Club. Mr. Dowd will visit many cities in the East and finally wind up at his home in Holyoke, Mass., where he will sum up the results of his trip and send a builetin to Von der Ahe. In the meantime several dickers are on for the improvement of the St. Louis club. The majority of the members of the League know a good thing in the way of a base ball city when they see it and are determined to make a good team for St. Louis in spite of all efforts of Von der Ahe to the contrary. One plan which has been suggestel, that of contributions from other clubs, does not meet with general favor. Mr. W. W. Kerr of Pittsburg is against it. He says in a letter to Joe Flanner of the Sporting News:

"If Mr. Von der Ahe wants to strengthen up his team, let him go down in his pocket and spend some money the same as other club owners are compelled to do. It would be a pretty howdy do for other club owners to turn over to Von der Ahe some of their good players and let him sell them to John T. Brush to strengthen up the Cincinnati team. If Mr. Robison and Mr. Vonderhorst are so very anxious that St. Louis should be strengthened, let them do the strengthening themselves. They have the top-notch-clubs of the League, and might be able to spare a few of their players. For instance, Mr. Vonderhorst might give him Kelly, Keeler, Jennings and McGraw, while Robison could contribute Tebeau, Young, Cuppy and Zimmer; then St. Louis would have a playing as well as a paying team. All joking as del as a paying team. All joking the could contribute Tebeau, Young, Cuppy and zimmer; then St. Louis would have a playing as well as a paying team. All joking as del and the strengthen the St. Louis t one player to St. Louis. We have a few that we might sell Chris for \$10,000 each, but not to give away."

Others seem to think that it would profit them to strengthen the St. Louis team by giving it a few good men.

Aside from the interest being taken in the welfare of the St. Louis club, the work of the Rules Committee supervised by "Pop" Chadwick is arousing some concern. In discussing the revision of the rules Mr. Chadwick says, in regard to coaching:
"New coaching rules are unquestionably needed, if only to insure a strict observance of the objectionable method of coaching, which consists of intimidating and irritating the batting players, and has nothing whatever to do with adding the base running. Legitimate coaching will always remain a feature, but the method of coaching in vogue of late years is as objectionable as are the rowdy factics of the class of players who shoulder or trip up base runners, spike base players, and indulge in other samples of dirty ball playing. It is this latter style of giving "life to the game," as some call it, which, while it suits the tastes of the patrons of the game, and R is this latter class that business in professional base ball requires the club magnates to cater for."
Rumors of a new deal for the sale of the Browns are springing up every day. One of them may come true some the Browns are springing up day. One of them may come true day and in all probability be of I benefit to St. Louis.

A LOVE FEAST.

Old Timers Caress Each Other in Limited Rounds.

"has beens" of the puglistic world met in the Broadway Athletic Club arema last night and expressed their affection and admiration for each other by putting on the gloves and punching at each other for a limited number of short rounds. The most conspicuous figures in the galaxy were Jem Mae, the ex-heavyweight English champion, and John L. Sullivan with his terrible right in a sling and his hair turned almost white. Both men were given a hearty greeting, but Sullivan's was the most enthusiastic. Everybody called him John and tried to shake his hand as he passed down to the ring. Although but a little past 40 Sullivan looked older than any of those about him. Old Jem Mace, who is 65, looked hale and hearty beside John L.

Jim Hall of Australia boxed three rounds with Peter Burns of Harlenn, and made way for Prof. John Donaldson and George Rooke.

These two were followed by John L. Sullivars, who made a short speech thanking the value of fair the property of the Missouri "Tigers," from the Columbia State University, are going through Texas playing foot ball with all comers, and deviations of the property of the propert 'has beens' of the puglifstic world met in

Two 'Frisco Fights. Joe Gans of Baltimore knocked out Cha



Gladness Comes With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in lirected. There is connected wiedge, that so many forms of are not due to any actual distinguished condi-



BAZAAR (on the 3d

THE FASTEST CROWING STORE IN AMERICA.

On Sale 8 to 10 a. m.

Pillow Case Cotton 100 wide, unbleached, and regularly sold at 7½c, during above hours, per yd. 32C Candy Good quality of Fresh Mixed Can- 5C dy, for 2 hours, per lb,.....

Embroidered Swisses-In sample lengths of from one-half to one yard, very desirable for fancy work, transom cur-tains etc., when in the piece worth see per yd., our price, per piece..... 5C

Flannelettes—Bob Roy Scotch
ettes of extra good quality,
worth loc, our 2-hour price,
per yard

Oil Prints -A fine quality of as-Turkey Red Oil Prints.
worth 124c, during above 5c Bleached Pillow-Case

Cotton—During above hours we will sell mill ends of very best New York mills, 42 and 45-inch Bleached Pillow-Case Cotton, worth up to 15c, at, per yard Blue Gray-Mixed Flannel Extra heavy, worth 20c, Hour Sale Price, per yard

Scarlet Flannel-Good heavy,

Nurses' Aprons—of fine size, tucked, with plain deep hem, and some embroidered, worth 25c and 35c. 15c

Gents' Mufflers Large, fine fine Cashmere, with slik finish, regular price soc. Price at Grand Leader. 25c

Door Rugs-Smyrna, Wilton Door Mats, in pretty, bright colors and designs, regularly worth 50c, at these hours, each ... 35c Full Dress Pattern of Cam

Hair, in black, brown or navy blue, and equal in appearance to any 75c dress goods. Only one pattern of 8 yards to a customer. During above hours, per pattern

And our HOLIDAY

Floor, is a brilliant and charming scene of TOY SPLENDOR AND CHILD HAPPI-NESS. There is not a Toy or Game for the Little Ones that cannot be found here and at prices to suit all comers.

ON SALE ALL DAY WEDNESDAY.

Jewelry. Everything the Exclusive Jeweler Carries, at Much Cheaper Prices.



Chain Bracelets, in silver gilt, ranging in price 50c Band Rings, either round or square designs, and warranted for 8 to 5 years, each \$1.00, 25c WL& CO.

Lorgnettes—A special lot of with chain—worth \$1.98. 75c at 98c and. Umbrellas.

A Mecessity and a Mest Seasonable Gift.

Free We will engrave initials Free \$1.00 or above Wifffour ANY EXTRA CHARGE.

Ladies' Fine slik, Steel Rod, Tight Roll Umbrellas, with case and tassel, handles of colluioid, natural wood or fancy sil. \$1.35 to \$1.50, Wednesday, ea.

Ladies' Fine All-slik Umbrellas, Steel Rod, case and tassel. The very finest imported fancy decorated Dresden handles.

Others sell these at \$5.\$3.75.

Grand Leader Price.

Toys and Holiday Goods
On Third Floor.

Dolls
With
Bisons

Bisons

Child's Cloaks (Ages 1 to 5 years),
All-Wool Broadcloth, in Red,
Brown, Blue or Green, prettily
trimmed with fancy silk
braid and sateen
Bisons

Holid's Cloaks (Ages 1 to 5
years),
All-Wool Broadcloth, in Red,
Brown, Blue or Green, prettily
trimmed with fancy silk
braid and sateen

Candles for the Christmas
Tree—a one
pound box—any size— Foot Balls Large size, 25c

"Shoo Fly"—Wednesday price for 49c Misses' Rockers—Made oak and worth 89c oak and worth 89c-Wednesday price Magic Lanterns Usually at 98C Grand Leader Price—each at 98c-Grand Leader Price-each Iron Toys wagons, etc. -reg. ular price \$1.00— etc.—reg. 69c Air Rifle—The kind usually cost. 69c

ated Dresden handles. \$33.75
Grand Leader Price

Christmas Cards and Callow Styles and prices, and down as low as.

Battenburg Doylies—Some of all Battenburg Lace, some with linen centers. They are 9x10 inches square, in heavy patterns, and all hand made. Also many other styles of fine Crocheted and Hand-made Lace Must and Doylies, worth up to \$1.50. Your choice 50c Wednesday, each.

Mufflers—Gentlemen's Bro.

Battenburg Lace, some with linen centers. They are 9x10 inches square, in heavy patterns, and all hand made. Also many other styles of the Crocheted and Hand-made Lace Wednesday, each.

Mufflers—Gentlemen's Bro.

Boys' Tool Chests—98c
Worth \$1.69-only.

Sworth \$1.49-98c

Child's Sets—Triple-Plated
Child's Sets—Triple-Plated
Child's Mugs—Triple-Plated
Child's Mugs—Triple-Plated
Gold Bronzed and Sec (and bargain; per pair.

Night Shirts—A special bargain. Men's extra fine muslin Right shirts, all linength and with silk embroid-ered bosons; sizes 14 to 18; where can you find them for less 48c

Child's Mugs—Triple-Plated
Child's Mugs—Triple-Plated
Blue Deft Night Lamps—

Wednesday, each.

Blue Deft Night Lamps—

Wednesday, each.

Soop er set. Wednes-\$1.48

Mufflers—Gentlemen's Bro.

Mufflers—Gentlemen's Bro.

Men's



Neckwear
A very large
and beautiful assortment of fine
four-in-hands, Tecks and Band
bows, in the newest and prettiest shapes and shades;
would easily sell for
sec; Grand Leader price, 25c
each

Suspenders—of fine fancy web, with "cast-off" button ends and gold buckles; would be a bargain at sec. 25c

wednesday, each.

Mufflers—Gentlemen's Broeach
In black, white and polka dot patterns, a 75c

mumber for.

Mufflers—Gentlemen's Broeach
Silk Lamp Shades—Worth
S

On Sale 10 to 12 a. m.

Head Rests Or Japan solors, finished with sik tassels, and reversible; regular price 20c. Our Two. 10c 10c Children's Handkerchiefs

Put up in a neat, fancy box (only 2 boxes to a customer). regular price 25c. During 12c Above Hours (per box) ... Ice Wool Fascinators In black and white; would be cheap at 25c, For 15c These Two Hours (each)....

China Silks—On Second Floor in a great variety of colors wide, and usually sold at 65c. For two hours (per yard)...35C Hemstitched White Em-

broidered Flannel-A beauof extra fine embroidered Bed Comforts — Our own extra heavy, double-bed size Red Comforts, covered with fast color material, worth \$1.85.

During above time (each)

Blankets - Extra size 10-quar-Blankets, slightly solled by 79c handling, but worth fully \$1.75. For 2 hours (per pair) Flannel Skirt Patterns-Choice of 400 All-Wool Cashmere Flannel Skirt Patterns, warranted not to shrink, and regu-slarly sold at \$1.75. Hour \$1.00 sale Price (per pattern)

Coffee our regular 26c \$1.00 Full Dress Pattern of All

Momie Table Sets-All Lin-white and fancy colors, 8-4, 10-4 or 12-4 cloth. together with one dozen napkinsto match: 20 10dozen napkinsto match; \$2.19 worth \$3.75. Your choice (per set).......

Knitted Wear Ladles' All-Skirts, full sizes, in cardinal, black or gray, worth 59c, Wednesday price, ea..

lie Rockette of San Francisco in four rounds at San Francisco last night.

Jack Ward of Newark, N. J., was awarded the decision in a ten-round contest with Jimmy Anthony of Australia. "Young Mitchell" was chosen referee in the interest of fair sport, but a good deal of comment was excited by his decision in the Ward-Anthony bout.

Rochette was knocked out clean, so there was no questioning the decision in that case.

Bally from 10 to 12 and from 4 to 5, by a method natented and used by us alone.

playing foot ball with all comers, and defeating every team they meet. On Saturday
they wiped up a part of Texas with the Dallas eleven, made up of the pick of Dallas
players. Yesiscray they moved upon Austin and took a good same from the Texas
State University. Only one collar bone was
broken and one ankle sprained during the
game, so that it can be counted an unqualined success.

The team averages 180 pounds, and is in
very good condition. There does not seem
to be anything in Texas which can play
as good foot ball as the Missouri aggergation.

St. Louis Coursing Club.

To-morrow Bart Readey's new Bar, Bil-Hard and Bowling Alley, 213 North Eighth street, will be opened to the public. Mr. W. E. Cavanaugh will manage the Billiard Room and Mr. Gus Bengel the Bowling Al-leys. A cordial invitation is extended to call and receive a souvenir.

John Bearden Acquitted. SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Dec. 15.—John Bear-on, who has been on trial here for the urder of "Big Re" Lewis, the Taney punty Baldknobber, was acquitted last ght. Bearden was defending his father hen he killed Lowis.

Identified as W. B. Norwood. COLUMBIA. Me., Dec. 15.—Mrs. W. B. forwood of Leonard, Tex., has telegraphed ere accurately identifying the body of the man who fell off a train near here and ras killed, as her husband. The \$3.9% ound on his person is in the hands of the Public Administration.

How Each State Went nce 154 is shown in the political chart ith the OWL CAR TIME TABLE. Get to at this office. Pres.

Barl of Darnley Dead.



Guarantee for 10 MARCA

NATIONAL DENTAL PARLORS, 720 Olive St. Largest dental establishment in the world. 18 offices in the United States. OPEN DALLY TILL P. M., SUNDAYS, 9 TO 4. Take elevator.

Pens ountain And Cold Pens,

ror CHRISTMAS PRESENTS. Gold cens, in gold, pearl and silver holders, \$1.00 up. Swan, Waterman and Paul E. Wirt Fountain Pens \$1.25 to \$8.00. Gold Pencils,

COLBY'S GOLD PEN STORE, 20 N. Fourth St., opp. Court Bouse. SC-AT HILTS'-30.

25c Doll Shoes Wednesday, 10 to 12 only.

25c Don't miss it.

O. E. HILTS SHOE CO.,

Sixth and Franklin av.

TELEGRAPH BRIEFS.

John Skaggs in the Arkansas penitential, or bigamy, was pardoned by Gov. Clark.

CASH OR TIME. | Noison Family,

I will make you easy terms, whether you want \$5 worth or \$500 worth. Open till 9 p. m.

F. H. INCALLS, 1103 OLIVE ST.

this ain't stamped on every bar:

WM.WALTKE & CO.

KTR AND SOMP

ST. LOUIS, MO. If this ain't

THE DEMAND FOR Wm. Waltke & Co.'s

Extra Family Soap.

Is steadily increasing owing to its PURITY, ECONOMY and SAFE-TY, as it cleans easily, thoroughly and without injuring clothes or hand

BOUGHT AT TRUSTEE'S SALE

Finley & Hull's Clothing Stock, 40c on the Dollar, Now on Sale at OBE, N. W. Cor. 7th and Franklin Av

AMUSEMENTS.

STANDARD AFTERNOON AT 2. FRED RIDER'S NEW NIGHT OWLS AND EDISON'S VITASCOPE
Next Week-Harry Morris' 20th Century Maids.

THE HAGAN. John W. Ransom, 10 Alice Shaw's 20 Two Tanakas. 30 Jonnio Williams, And 20 Othors. Parquette Reserved, 50c.

HAYLIN'S. only first-class THIS WEEK, in the city where in reserve the best THE theater in the cary washing to the constraint of the post of the Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday matinees.

Next Sanday Matinee—"The Great Train Robbery."

MAY INWIN Tuesday and Wed. Eves, and Wed. Mas.
THE WIDOW JONES.
Thur., Fri. and Sat. Eves and Sat. Mas.,
COUNTED INTO COURT.
Monday, Dec. 21—JOHN HARE.

OLYMPIC. A PARLOR MATCH.

EVANS & HOEY AND BEAUTIFUL ANNA HELD, Regular Mat. Saturday. WEEK OF DEC. 21st.
Matiness Friday (Caristman) and Saturday.
JULIA MARLOWE TABER
AND ROBERT TABER
Supported by their ewa company in the

14th Street Theater, NEAR OLIVE. THE BRILLIANT DORCAS Presented by a HIGH-CLASS OPERACAST, Insuring a PERFECT ENSEMBLE.
Mathemat Wednesday and Saturday. Pt 25c, 56c, The and \$1.00. Telephone St.
Next Week—RHEA.

HOPKINS 飜綴 CLEAN, BRIGHT, WHOLESOME IN ALL-STAR BILL BORN BEDS. HOBEL PRIDE MANSFIELD, MANDOLA and a best of others. THE BIOGRAPH, WITH NEW YIEWA. CHORAL SYMPHONY SOCIETY.
SYMPHONY CONCERT,
MUSIC HALL, TH'SD'Y EVE., DEC. 17
ADAMOWSKI,
THE CELEBRATED VIOLENET,
And Symphony Oschasty, Mr. ALPRE
ERNST, Conductor.
Reserved seats in Exhaur, Mr. ALPRE

Just in the nick of time-bought an Immense Quantity

at our own price.

To advertise ourselves far and wide will sell at RIDICU-LOUSLY LOW PRICES. Can't handle in Handkerchief Section, owing to rush of Holiday business.

FOR SALE ON COUNTERS IN NORTH AISLE.

Ladies' Printed and Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 71/2c and 5c Ladies' emboidered Hemstitched

Ladies' Embroidered and Scalloped Real Jap Silk, 15c and 20c quality9c Ladies' Embroidered and Scal-

loped (on original sample cards)
Handkerchiefs, 20c quality. 150
25c quality. 150
35c quality. 190
50c quality. 25c Ladies' Initial Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 10c quality5c Men's Printed Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 10c quality5c Men's Fine Printed Hemstitched and small lot Initial Handker-

Men's Fine Japonet Handkerchiefs, 15c quality......loc quality.....25c 50c and 75c quality.....33c

> MEN'S MUFFLERS. Nothing Handsomer For a Xmas Remembrance. Men's 30-inch Japanese Silk Hemstitched Mufflers, 98c quality 59c \$1.25 quality.... 750

Men's Blue Polkadot Jap Silk Mufflers, 75c and 60c qualities430 Men's Cashmere Mufflers, 35c chiefs, 20c and 15c qualities .. 8c

Creat Sale of Manufacturers' Samples of

NAPKINS, TOWELS AND DAMASK CLOTHS.

We advertise Positive Facts-come and investigate for yourself. All Linen 5-8 size Irish Napkins, \$1.25 quality890 \$1.50 quality\$1.00 | All Linen 3-4 size Irish Napkins, \$2.50 quality....\$1.68 \$3.25 quality....\$2.38 \$3.50 quality....\$2.68

\$1.65 quality \$1.10 \$1.75 quality \$1.25 \$2.00 quality \$1.33 \$3,75 quality..... \$4.00 quality \$3.00 Also Sample Lot Damask Cloths on counter at ridioulous prices. Big lot Sample Towels too numerous to mention. Great Bonanza for you.

THE GREAT BARGAIN DRY GOODS CORNER-N. AND SP. BROADWA

NOVELTIES IN

DEALER

*McINTOSHES *

.... Now on Sale at REDUCED PRICES. Before Buying See Our Display of Rubber Boots, Toys, &c.

415 NORTH FOURTH STREET. THE LAPS ON THESE CIGARETTES ARE CRIMPED.

DAY RUBBER CO.,

MADE WITHOUT PASTE OR GLUE. PLEASANT IGARETTES ST. PUIS. ME. U.S.A.

20 FOR 5 CENTS.

YOU WILL REALIZE THAT "THEY LIVE WELL WHO LIVE CLEANLY," IF YOU USE

SAPOLIO



Of the Old Reliable and Original

FOUNDED 1829.

e . '	A Solid Gold Ladies' Watch, only\$18.00
	A Solid Gold Gents' Watch, only\$30.00
	A Solid Gold Gents Watch, only
	A Sterling Silver Hair Brush, only\$3.50
	A Sterling Silver Bonnet Brush, only\$2.00
	A Sterling Silver Hand Mirror, Only \$ 1.50
	And Sterling Silver Novelties from25c to \$10.00

Our Diamond Department Grander than Ever.

Remember

New Christmas Catalogue Mailed Free.

SNAPPED LIKE

STEEL FOR THE BATTLESHIPS A GREAT FAILURE.

TESTS AT NEWPORT NEWS.

Bix of the Twelve Pieces That Should Have Bent Double Broke Like Cast Iron.

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Dec. 15.—Net re-rults of the experiments of the board which is investigating battleship steel may be summed up briefly as equivalent to the contemnation of nearly the whole amount now btacked in the Newport News Ship Build-ing Co.'s yard. Six out of twelve test pieces which should have been folded back on the vessels without breaking, either broke short off as readily as cast iron or tore apart with less brittleness, but not the less certain evidence of failing to meet the contract requirements. Such wholesale failure has caused the oard to go extensively into testing other

The Michigan State of the Property of the Prop

Sick-polson is what makes you sick, irritates your serves, disorders your functions, saps your strength, makes you miserable.

Different diseases have different polsons, some have several, indigestion more than any.

That is, the symptoms of indigestion are caused by the polsons which are created by undigested food.

feed.
When you are sick try to get rid of your poison. It is often easier than you think, for all nature helping you. Only the poison is obstinate, but trst step is to go to the root of it.

nisons of undigested food, which came adache, dizziness, weakness, bad taste, fever. flatulence, names, constipation of appetite, jaundice, ameemia, neuralgia, simatism, etc., these poisons can be swept away and annihilated by the Shaker Digestive Cordial.
Curing the stomech and helping it to digest food, when it is too weak to do so by itself, will purify your system of poison and renew your strength and health.
Shaker Digestive Cordial.

Ź

strips separated; the fragments having sprung up and away from the groove; two pieces numbered 10 and 14 broken through, so that the parts barely hung together; and eight pieces bent at right angies without breaking. The radius of the curve at the bend was about one inch, showing a very easy stress on the metal. Specimens numbered 15 and 16 were sheared from the bracket plates and No. 1 from a bottom plate.

The hak-way bent strips were then taken to another machine, in which a massive post was moved horizontally upon a solid foundation until it met another similar post. One of the strips was placed between these two resistless squeezers and the hydraulic pressure was put upon the movable post. As it moved up to its opposite, the steel strip was shut up like closing the blade of a knife. A rod just as thick as the strip itself was inserted at the jaw of the bend, and another between the two ends as they approached each other.

When the two parts touched the rods the pressure was taken off and the test was complete. When all had been tested it was found that No. 9, taken from the same plate as No. 10, already broken, was cracked very badly nearly the whole width of the bend. The remaining six pieces showed no fracture.

Out of the dozen specimens tested, therefore, four had shown a brittleness so extraordinary as to raise doubts whether their chemical qualities could be otherwise than imangerously bad. Two other specimens were cracked before the bending was completed, showing brittleness probably from over-carbonization or the presence of phosphorus. In other words, half the specimens failed to come up to the Government requirements.

quirements.

The board held a private consultation, at the end of which the following conclusion was reached: Specimens are to be taken from upwards of seventy plates on Wednesday next. The board will reconvene at the Newport News Shipyard to prosecute further tests and on Thursday and Friday the specimens will be pulled at the Norfolk Newy Yard.

Was the Coroner's jury verdict in the case of Mrs. Caroline Muriel Valentina le Champion, daughter of Capt. Cunliffe of Shropshire. She committed suicide Friday by taking laudanum. Mrs. Le Champion a month ago obtained a judicial separation from her husband, Lieut. Le Champion, a relative of the well-known sportsman, Sir Claude Champion is Crespigny, Bart.

The proceedings caused a sensation at the time in revealing the dolings of certain members of the "fast set" in England. Mrs. Le Champion, it was shown in court, occasionally came down to dinner in red satin bloomers and her better half's smoking jacket, and frequently called her husband a fool. Mr. Le Champion, on his side, was proven to have been most violent upon nearly all occasions, making scenes in public places and calling his wife vile names.

POWERS AND THE TURK.

Salisbury Said to Have Sounded Italy and Germany.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—The Chronicle's Rome correspondent reports that he hears that Lord Salisbury has asked Italy and Germany to state what their attitude would be in the event of armed intervention by England, France and Russia against Turkey. Italy, the correspondent adds, has promised her adhesion, but Germany has not replied to the question.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. IS.—It is stated on good authority that there are no new developments in the Eastern question. The powers for months past have been discussing the different plans to bring about the better administration of the Turkish Empire. A number of notes on the subject have been presented to the Porte. The Russian Ambassador, M. De Neidodr, on his return here from St. Petersburg, will make another presentation of the demands of the powers, and the Sultan is expected to agree to them in due course of time.

More Warships for Uruguay. NEW YORK, Dec. B.—The Herald's correspondent in Panama telegraphs that Urugus proposes to double the number of her war vessels and has accordingly ordered the construction of a torpede catcher of

L. ACKERMAN, Manager. 419-421 N. Broadway.

MILLINERY. Ribbon Sale.

No 1. All-Silk Satin Ribbon, new less than 20c for 10 yards. Be sure and get some of these. 10 yards for	
No. 5 Heavy All-Silk Ribbon	3c
No. 7 Heavy All-Silk Ribbon	5c
No. 9 Heavy All-Silk Ribbon	7c
No. 12 Heavy All-Silk Ribbon	9c
No. 16 Heavy All-Silk Ribbon	11c
No. 22 Heavy All-Silk Ribbon.	13c
No flimsy Ribbon—only the b	est Heavy

Flower Sale

ouble the price we ask.

I IUWCI Sai	
Parma Violets, per bunch	20
Large Muslin and Velvet	50
Three in a bunch Silk Velvet Roses	.100
Fine Satine Violets, six dozen in a bunch	250
Choice of 1800 Walking Hats, Trimmed Saliors and Dress Shapes	190
Choice of over 1000 Tam O'Shanters, Yatching Oaps and Baby Caps in Silk and Velvet; worth from 30c to \$1.00; choice	190
100 Elegant Ostrich Boas, worth \$7.50, Wednesday	4.98

1,200 tons and a small cruiser of 1,800 tons register.

More Arrests at Moscow.

MOSCOW, Dec. 15.—The police have selzed number of political letters and papers at he students' lodgings, and have made forty

Daughter of Baron Rothschild Killed

PARIS, Dec. 15.—The Barone Emmanuol Leonino, nee Rothschild, was killed by an accident in the hunting field near Chamant. Her horse threw her against a tree and fractured her skull. The Barone was the daughter of Baron Gustav Rothschild.

All Hands Lost.

PARIS, Dec. 15.—The French steamer Comentry, which left Bayonne Dec. 4 for Cardiff, has not been seen since, and it is supposed that she has foundered with 20 hands on board

Moraes' Return to Office.

Domestic Exports.

Men's Slippers

Make an Acceptable

Price, \$1.00 to \$3.00.

Christmas Present.

The Greatest Sale of Solid Gold and Plated Rings and Gents' Gold Scarf Pins that has ever taken place in St. Louis. Solid Gold goods for the









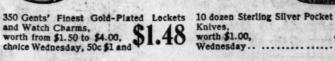


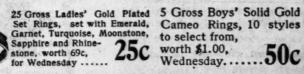
300 Gents' Solid Gold Scarf Pins, 25 latest designs to





50 dozen Gents' Gold Plated Link Sleeve Buttons, worth \$1.00 and \$1.25, 48c Wednesday.. 25 dozen Gents' Gold Plated Lever Sleeve Buttons, 20 styles to select from, worth \$1.00, 48c Wednesday..









Books.

L ACKERMAN, Manager. 419-421 N. Broadway. Ohoice offevery pair \$1.50 and \$1.75 4 but-ton Kid Gloves in

warranted and fit-ted to the hand Wednesday 98C



Umbrellas.



Close Thursday Night of This Week, And any order not received up to that time cannot be filled jon any

> There Will Be No Extension....

The Post-Dispatch

People's

Will Positively

The People's Bible History ...

950 Pages,

And is the best thought and effort o

Greatest Scholars.

And is a continuous and consecutive story, based on the Bible, supplemented by contemporaneous his tory and corroborated by the many important archaeological discoveries of comparatively recent years.

IL THIS You may obtain through the Post-Dispatch on the payment of

Only One Dollar

At time of purchase. The balance can be paid in amounts of one dol-lar at a time extending over a pe-riod of five or six months.

If you cannot call personally at the office of the Post-Dispatch to examine the work, send for a descriptive circular of 20 pages, or observe the following instructions:

This Great Work.

Open Evenings Until 8 O'Cle

IN THE COURT OF APPEALS.

Fourteen Decisions Were Handed Down To-Day. Decisions in the following cases were handed down by the St. Louis Court of Ap-

peals Tuesday.

John K. Murrell vs. Edw. M. McGuigan, John K. Murrell vs. Edw. M. McGulgan, appellant, transferred to Supreme Court. Charles C. Crone vs. Richard R. Stinde, appellant, reversed and judgment for plaintiff for nominal damages. Certified to Supreme Court.

Charles Threlkeld vs. Wabash Railway Company, appellant, reversed and remanded.
Seaboard National Bank of New York, assignee, appellant, vs. Frederick Woesten, affirmed.
Seaboard National Bank, assignee, appellant, vs. Louisa H. Wright, trustee, reversed and remanded.
Ellen Ryan, appellant, vs. John O'Brien Boiler Works Company, affirmed.
M. Shaughnessy, appellant, vs. St. Louis & San Francisco Railway Company, affirmed.
Jacob Glaeser vs. George Hoeffner, appellation, appellant, appellant, appellant, appellant, affirmed.

Jacob Glaeser vs. George Hoeffner, appel-State vs. Geo. Hoeffner, appellant, re-versed and defendant discharged. State vs. Geo. Hoeffner, appellant, affirmed.

Peter Schaefer vs. Wm. Green, appellant, affirmed. State vs. John H. Young, appellant (from Wayne County), affirmed for failure to

Wayne County), prosecute.
State vs. George Leeper, appellant (from Wayne County), same as above.
State vs. Geo. Leeper, appellant, second case (from Wayne County), same entry.

JOHN HOLMAN IS A HUSBAND. He Stood by and Saw His Wife Cruelly

avenue Tuesday morning by her brother

avenue Tuesday morning by her brotherin-law, Peter Holman.

Mrs. Holman says she married John Holman three years ago and since then they
have lived at \$10 Convent street. For some
reason unknown to her, Mrs. Holman says,
her husband's family have been prejudiced
against her and have poisoned her husband's mind with untrue stories about her.
Monday Holman packed his clothes and
left his wife and baby without a word.
Tuesday morning Mrs. Holman met her
husband and his brother Peter at Third
street and Chouteau avenue. She approached
them, intending to ask her husband about
his conduct. Feter interfered and because
the wife insisted on talking to the husband
he struck her in the face and breast repeatedly. She says he knocked her down
and injured her painfully. Her husband,
she said, stood by and watched the trouble
without doing a thing to protect her.

The Assistant Prosecuting Attorney issued a warrant against Peter Holman, alleging assault and battery.

BILL DOOLEY OUTRAGED.

Driver Whipped Him and Then He Bill Dooley in his original costume

essed in every old thing he could find, cluding a tomato can and a hickory stick. was ms pies in the rolice court lucessy morning:

"Judge, your honor, I had just been in Tony Fauster's beer palace, and when I came out I saw two ladies in silk dresses getting into a carriage in front of the Southern Hotel, and as I thought they could assist me financially I asked them for a few dollars. Well, what do you think, Judge? The driver struck me across the face with his whip and then the cop comes along and pinches me. That's what I call persecution."

"Ten dollars!" said the judge. Abe Slupsky Sued by Relatives.

James and Ester Miller, Est and Sarah Wasser, Morris and Eva Berger and Ahraham and Lea Silverseen sued Abraham, Jacob and Flora Slupsky for the partition sale of property on Laclede avenue. The plaintific allege that Abe Slupsky bought the property with his wife's money, and that when she died intestate it became theirs as heirs. They allege that Slupsky, who held the property in truet for his wife, now claims a fee simple title. The property is worth \$6,000.

GOODS ON FALSE PRETENSES. WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—The monthly statement of the principal articles of domestic exports, issued by the Bureau of Statistics, shows that during the month of November the exports were as follows: Breadstuffs, 19,146,060; cotton, 83,504,509; mineral oils, \$4,087,147; provisions, \$10,429,278; cattle and hogs \$2,314,578. Total for the month, \$76,202,040. Young Sweeney and Kennard Are Fined \$20 Bach.

John Sweeney and K. B. Kennærd were in the police court Tuesday charged with false representation.

Kennard represented that he was a nephew of Sam M. Kennard, the capitalist, and on those representations he got credit to the extent of about 3000 in West End salcons.

Judge Peabody fined each of them 320.

WYATT AND THE MULE. Cost Him \$15 to Be Kicked Against a

G. H. Boehmer,

Lincoln Wyset played fire department with a stranger's mule Monday night, and when the mule objected to being beaten with a base ball bat and a collection of soda water bottles, Wyset was landed against a board partition by the mule's scar pedal extremities.

Then Wyset inflicted several wounds on the mule's scalp and was arrested.

In Police Court Tuesday ming Wyset was fined til.

900 Drops Avegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of INFANTS CHILDREN

Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Oprum, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC.

OLD DE SAMUELPHONER

tion. Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverish ness and Loss of SLEEP.

Fac Simile Signature of Cath Flateter. NEW YORK. Atb months old

35 Doses = 35 CENTS

EXACT COPY OF WRAPPER.

Was Robbed Seven Times. An early edition of an afternoon paper contained a story to the effect that H. I Sunther of 2812 Lucas avenue had reports to the police that his house had been robl seven times in seven days. It made Gunther abuse the police for not hav prevented the robberies. It stated also the had notified the police after each or without the police paying any attention

One Cent Damages Awarded.

Window Smashers at Work. Window smashers continue to ply the trade unmolested by the police. Moning the large plate glass window in plumbing shop of M. Taffe, 4466 Suburl Railroad alley was broken by thieves. I men were frightened away before the got any booty.

Grain Company Incorporated.

Rural Free Delivery.

BOTTLE OF ALATABI

WRAPPER

OF EVERY

Oasteria is put up in one-size bettles only. It is not sold in bulk. Don't allow anyone to sell you anything else on the plea or promise that it is "just as good" and "will answer every puspess." 45 Bee that you get O.A.B.T.O.B.I.A.

A WORK OF FICTION.

Mr. Gunther Denies That His Hous

Mr. Gunther when seen denounced story as a lie. He had lost two overco from his house, one a week ago and Monday. He made no report to the pountil Tuesday and then merely asked the thefits be investigated. He said he no cause to complain of the police.

The jury in the suit of Sarah Dillon, propal of the Benton (Public) School, again the Lindell Rallway Co. for \$300 damas for conveying herself and 80 pupils to The and Washington avenue, instead of direct Kings highway and Page avenue from Fest Park, rendered a verdict for 1 codamages Tuesday. The case was tried befund was taken to the Court of Appeals Miss Dillon.

The Isaacs-Sherry Grain Ce, has been corporated with 120,000 capital stock, which Charles W. Isaacs holds 188 sharvand J. E. Sherry and W. C. Douglass others.

Lieut. Bullock Dead. WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—A gram received at the War Department day announces the death at San Bernar Ranch, Ariz, of First Lieutenant Ed., Builock, 7th Cavairy, from pneumonic

Ohl what a snap for little folks!

Wednesday only, from 10 a. m. to 12 m., we sell fite Doll Shoes for 3c per pair.

C. E. HILTS SHOR CO., Sixth and Franklin av. MISTAKEN EFFORT AT REFORM. Day Talked to a Fallen Wife Some \$25 Worth.

Harry A. Day was fined \$25 in Police Court Tuesday morning because he tried to reform his callen wife.

Day is a traveling salesman, and lives at 301 Magnolia avenue. Two years ago his wife left him to open an immoral house at 303 Chestnut street.

Day desired to have his wife reform, and went to see her Monday night, but she burned his hat, and then called in a policeman. nan.

Judge Peabody did not sympathize with
the husband, and fined him \$25.

We know that Cod-liver Oil is a fat-forming food because takers of it gain rapidly in weight under its use and the whole body receives vital force. When prepared as in Scott's Emulsion, it is quickly and easily changed into the tissues of the body. As your doctor would say, "it is easily assimilated." Perhaps you are suffering from fat starvation. You take fat enough with your food, but it either isn't the right kind, or it isn't digested. You need fat prepared for you, as in Scott's Emulsion.

SEE THAT THE FAC-SIMILE

SIGNATURE -OF-

IS ON THE

57 Full Page Illustrations, 7 Large Colored Maps.

12 Years in Preparation, Cost \$150,000,

18 of the World's

From the Creation

Triumph of Christianity,

he People's Bible History

Fine Silk Cloth, gilt edge, at . . . \$5.00 Haif Levant, gilt edge, at \$6.00 Full Levant, gilt edge, hand made, \$7.00

How to Secure

Bring of send \$1 to the Post-Dispatch, six Olive Street, \$t Louis and STATE WHEN ORDERING WHAT STYLE OF BINDING TOU DESIRE. The first payment for either style of binding is only \$1. The abounts confidence of, the Post-Dispatch that "The People's Bible History" will give anoqualized satisfaction is evidenced by the fact that we give a book valued at \$8, \$2 or \$7\$, at the case may be, upon the paymen of only \$1, and with the privilege or returning in ten days and having your money refunded if the work is not exactly as represented.

AN ENGLISH SON GETS THE MONEY

COURT DISPOSES OF THE SUI CIDE'S INSURANCE DOLLARS.

DEAD MAN'S ROMANTIC LIFE.

Killed Himself in St. Louis After Plot ting Murder and Deserting His First Wife.

Satisfaction of judgment was acknowl edged in the matter of the estate of James Lloyd Squire Urmson in the Probate Court

The judgment was rendered recently by Judge Rassieur in favor of Thomas Urmson of Little Bolton, England, son of the deceased by the wife in England he deserted

to marry again.

It was not until last June that all the facts in the remarkable career of the suicide came to light. It developed then that J. L. S.

to light. It developed then that J. L. S. Urmson committed suicide thirteen years ago by taking morphine. His design was to first murder the woman, Mattle Minnicks, who lived in the same house.

After swallowing the morphine he called for the woman to come to him. She delayed responding, and when she reached Urmson's room he was beyond power to harm any one. But in his right hand he clutched a revolver, and near him was a harm any one. But in his right hand he clutched a revolver, and near him was a note directing that his body and that of



JAMES LLOYD SQUIRE URMSON Mattie Minnicks be interred in one grave.

At the institution of the legal proceedings last June George Douglass, a friend of the deceased, revealed for the first time the details of the suicide. Douglass is a monument maker at 1407 North Grand avenue.

At the time of Urmson's death he was an employe of Harlow, Spencer & Co. He had arrived in St. Louis a year before with his 2-year-old daughter Neille from Harrison-ville, Ill. He obtained board at the residence of Dr. J. L. James, where his suicide occurred.

taken in Illinois was sent by Douglass, clinching the identity of the Urmson of Little Bolton, England, with the Urmson of St. Louis.

Then the English Urmsons bestirred themselves to collect the money left by Nellie Urmson. Lawyer Robert L. McLaran was notified to institute proceedings, which he did in the name of Thomas Urmson, the dead man's son by his first wife. The first wife, though still living, could not inherit from her husband's daughters by a second marriage.

When the proceedings were instituted last June, another claimant to the money turned

Miss Mary French Field, daughter of Eugene Field, known, admired and loved in every American bousehold that is bissed with children, will read selections from the posms of her father in the Guild rooms of the father will be assisted by Mr. Charles Humphrey. The admission fee is it. During Miss Field's recent entertainment in Louisville the society girls of the place acted as ushers, and she has met only praise wherever she has appeared.

Busty Fistol Went Off.

Joseph Stingwine, 1507 South Third street, was shot in the neak by his prother Edward.

ABE DOESN'T LIKE IT.

a Finish. Col. Abraham Sinpsky is "agin" civil service reform. He thinks a man should hold his place as long as he does his work

Col. Slupsky is a water sampler in the employ of the city and he doesn't want to be "trun" out of his job by any merit sys-

getting a friend of his a chance to draw

Supaky sau to o' way."

"But which side are you on?"

"Either side, but come in here a minute. I have to wait two hours for a man and I'll talk to you."

The reformer burst into the Mayor's outer office, slid across Sergeant McGrew's new carpet and hopped up on the window still

The reformer burst into the mayor's outer office, sild across Sergeant McGrew's
new carpet and hopped up on the window
sill.
"Now dis civil service reform. You want
to know what Slupsky tinks about it. Well.
I tell you what yo' do. You just put down
that you saw Slupsky in the Mayor's office, see, and he said dis and so. Just
stack it up any way you want, but make
it sound nice, and it'll go, see!"
"But are you for it or agin it?"
"He tapped himself on his Koh-i-nor. "If
it's a good ting for Slupsky. I'm fer it," he
said. "But what is it, anyhow?"
"Why, it substitutes merit for political
pull in city appointments."
"If that's what it is I'm dead agin it. I
believe as long as a man does his work
right dey oughn't trow de hooks into him.
If things was that way, the Democrats
would get everything into their claws. The
Governor would appoint a Democrat Chief
of the Fire Department, and he would fire
all the Republicans. Hal that's a good
one. Just put that down. I say hed fire
all the Republicans and put Democrats in
their places. And he'd get a hundred
plunks from every man he appointed—a
hunderd a t'row.
"Oh, if dat's what civil service is, I ain't
given much t'ought to it, but I'm agin it.
If a man is faithful and honest and square
(of course, he can do a little crooked business if he don't get found out), dey ought
to leave him in office till he dies. Of
course, dey have to appoint somebody in
his place then. The civil service might
come handy then, but no other time."
"Who's going to be Mayor, Mr. Slupsky?"
"The man that's elected.
Mr. Slupsky placed his index finger to leeward of his nose and whistled softly, "I
know something that I won't tell."
"Of course I know," he said, "but I can't
tell you. If I told you all I know, I
wouldn't know anything, see?
"But, say, fix up that civil service or anything else that will give Stephens power to
appoint the Chief of the Fire Department,
"When will it be in?" To-day yet? No?
To-morrow, then. All right. I'll buy a
paper."

CHRISTMAS FURNITURE.

Gift Givers Will Find a Wonderful As-

syear-old daughter Neille from Harrison-ville, III. He obtained board at the residence of Dr. J. L. James, where his suicide occurred.

Urmson told Douglass he was born in New Jersey and that Neille's mother died shortly after her birth. He was devoted to the child. Before coming to St. Louis he shock out \$7,600 life insurance in her favor er coming to St. Louis he should not be used save for the child's benefit. It was turned over to ex-State Senator F. W. Mott, who was appointed the gir's curator by Judge Gabriel Weerner, then sitting in the short Court. Some of the principal and the state.

All this time Urmson's friend Douglass, was strying to trace his family. He wrops senator Thorn of Harrisonville, III., after faling in his efforts in New Jersey, and place as Little Bolton, England, in 1837, that he deserted his Affe and soon was born in Little Bolton, England, with the Urmson of St. Louis he safer a not last, the limits of his sister, Mrs. Price, in England, a photograph of himself taken in Illinois was sent by Douglass, elinahing the licality of the Urmson of St. Louis send the child of the deceased. He thus learned that Urmson was born in Little Bolton, England, a photograph of himself taken in Illinois was sent by Douglass, elinahing the identity of the Urmson of St. Louis the work to his English with the Geserred wife or the deceased. He thus learned that Urmson was born in Little Bolton, England, with the Urmson of St. Louis and the proposition of the propos The growing popular taste for pieces of

WILL PAY FIVE PER CENT.

Carpenter Bernhard Huelsmann, will be

merit from her husband's deuphers by a second marriage.

When the proceedings were instituted last the processed with such that the character of the superior of a half statute of the cassed, who was represented by the law firm of Phillips, Stewart, Cunningham & Elicot of St. Louis.

The photograph of Urmson, taken in Pennsylvania, of which the accompanying likeness of the man is a copy, played an impensive the man is a copy, played an impensive the player may be deposition. Caken by Lawyer McLaran, the photographs established beyond question the English son.

The question of the legitimacy of the dead child, Nellie, it was also an important half sister to the deceased was based. With the child declared illegitimate, the half sister would take the bulk of the caste, because Thomas Urmson, the English son, could not inherit through the child by Urmson's second marriage, not being reason the English widow could not inherit through Nellie, it the latter were declared an illegitimate child.

A record decision of the Supreme Court of Missouri was cited by Lawyer McLaran, in which it was held that a child born of an inherit through the child better through Nellie, it the latter were declared an illegitimate the first through the child better through the child better through Nellie, it the latter were declared an illegitimate child.

A record decision of the Supreme Court of Missouri was cited by Lawyer McLaran, in which it was held that a child born of an interest through the child better through the ch

He Is "Agin" Civil Service Reform to

He had just held a conference with Prisalary, when a reporter lassoed him in the second floor corridor of the City Hall Mon-

sacany, sacany second foor corridor of the City Hall Monday.

"What is my views on dis civil service
reform," he said, "now look here, my
frien', I don't tink I know anything about
that. What it is?"

"Why. the merit system in municipal affairs, you know."

"Oh, yes. Well, I don't know as I've
given much t'ought to that. Say, you just
put down what you t'ink about it, and say
Slupsky said it. See? I gives you de right
o' way."

sortment at Scarritt's.

None in all this great city to compare with "The Fair" in Bargain Giving! We want your Trade, and we make Prices to get it! We shear off the Fancy Profits and give you the Benefit! This Wednesday's Sale is as full of Great Big Bargains as an egg is of meat-look at them and then you will come here to buy.

6c and 7c Prints at 3c.

Wednesday we will sell choice of our Silver Gray Mourning, Turkey Red, Solid Oil Red and Purple Prints—sold everywhere at 6c and 7c a yard,

Wednesday we will sell Ladies'

25c Gloves at 5c.

Cashmerette Glove blue and brown—all

sizes-worth

10 pieces yard-wide Green Ticket

AT 9:30 A. M.

Lonsdale Muslin at 5c.

Wednesday we begin the sale of Lonsdale Muslin

50c Corsets at 27c.

Wednesday we will sell Ladies' 5-Hook Model Fitting Corsets-sizes 18 to 30 -that would be a bargain at 50c, for

We have 20 of the most elegant China Silk Bed Comforts in St. Louis—every one of them filed with finest down—all of superb design, and every one a perfect beauty. They were intended to sell for \$15.00 each, but for reasons which do not affect their

Here's a Gift That Every Woman Will Appreciate,

at 3 for \$1.00, or each

75c Mufflers at 34c.

Wednesday we will sell 200 dozen Men's Fine Brocaded Silk Muffers (Cream and Black)—usually sold

Bleached Pillow Cases.

1 case Bleached Pillow Cases, size 45x36, with deep hems, Wednesday at the unmatched price of . 620 Infants' 20c Vests, 3c.

Wednesday we will sell 50 doz. Infants' Extra Heavy Ribbed Fleece Lined Vests, worth 20c each, 3C

15c Veilings at 3c.

Wednesday we will sell 1,000 yards
Beautiful Colored Silk Chenille
Dot Veilings, worth 15c a yard,
at the unheard

DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES.

Your Xmas Gift

May Be in Our Free Gift Window.

On December 21 we will expose the numbers on every article in that win-Meanwhile with every purchase you make here we give you a ticket

2d Floor.

The \$2,48 for .. \$2,48

800 All-Wool Black Boucle Capes, 80 inches long—full

long—full sweep—with Electric Seal Collar and Sat in Lining, the Blagest Bar-

144 Ladies' Fancy Plaid Skirts, with Rustling Taffeta Lining and Velveteen Binding, well worth \$2.50, Wednesday only.....

very pretty—cut full, velveteen bound—lined with Rustling Taffeta—easily worth \$4.00, here Wednesday for.

25c Aprons for 9c

15c Sateens for 53c

0 pieces fast black brocaded sateens, in small, bright figures, sold every-where at 15c a yard; Wednesday (dealers barred), at. 54

30c Corset Waists, 13c

75 and 85c Gowns, 38c

\$2 Collarettes for 98c

Worth up to \$1 a Yard at 49c.

FINEST ALL-SILK TAFFETAS AND GROS DE LONDRES

CHANGEABLE TAFFETAS,
For skirts, also suitable for ruffling.

FANCY PERSIAN DESIGN SILKS, For waist Trimmings, etc.

In handsome street designs, for evening dresses and for waists.

At 49c a Yard.

This is the way we assert our low price supremacy in Silks.

SILKS

Jackets, Capes

and Skirts.



St. Louis' Greatest Department Store.

A WEDNESDAY DRESS GOODS SALE

That will clinch our claim to be the Biggest Bargain Civers in St. Louis!

Here is a Dress Goods Department full of the choicest weaves of the season every up-to-date style, from the cheap-est domestic weaves to the finest im-ported novelties. It is a new depart-ment, and we are going to make our price-power felt.

LOOK AT THESE FOR WEDNESDAY:

5000 manufacturers' mill ends in 11/2 t 12-yard lengths, comprising Fancy Scotch Plaids,

Gray and Blue Pepper and Salt Mixed Ground Suitings, Shot with red, green, yellow and blue and in rough effects. blue and in rough effects.

These are mill lengths, secured at our own price from one of the large manufacturers and are identical with the goods that have been selling everywhere in St. Louis all season at 25c a yard. You can judge what kind of a bargain this is when the Fair sells choice all day Wednesday at 5c a yard.

SEE THE DRESS COODS We will sell Wednesday at 29c a yard. All-Wool and Raw Silk Tufted Cheviots 40 inches wide, in five different col-orings and beautiful Persian effects, usually sold at 50c and 60c a yard. All-Wool Boucle Cloths in green, blue and brown, 38 inches wide; never sold under 49c.

All-Wool Black French Serge, 46 inches wide, that would be a bargain at 50c a yard.

Look at the Dress Coods High-Grade French Novelty Suit-ings. The celebrated Jamestown Suitings, in bright colored check effects.

effects.

Illuminated Novelties in black grounds, with slik mixtures of green and blue green grounds, etc.

Black Mohair Brillianties,

50 in. wide and extra heavy quality. Extra Heavy Storm Serges, Strictly All-Wool, in black only and 46 inches wide.

Not a yard in this lot can be duplicated in St. Louis under 59c, and some of them cost that to import.

Wednesday we impress you still further with our price-making power by quoting these at.....

A HANDSOME DRESS PATTERN for \$1.

Actual \$2.00 Patterns. That is what they are, consisting of 8 yards a-inch Tufted Wool Cheviot, in hand-some gray grounds, shot with red, yellow or green. Or 8 yards 36-inch illuminated Mate-lasse Suiting, in brilliant two-toned effects, green, blue, brown, olive and black. It is just such an extraordinary store as the Fair that makes it pos-sible for patrons to buy at half-value.

These are some of the choicest designs of the season, can be relied upon for style, and we put life and fire into the sale by quoting them Furs and Trimmings.

TOY BARGAINS.

Far and Away Cheaper Than Anywhere Else.



Christmas Tree Candlesticks, generally sold at 25c a dozen, here at.....



worth 35c. Larger sizes



The regular \$1.50 size at...... PICTURES.

Beautiful Framed Pictures Cheaper than YOU EVER SAW Pictures BEFORE! A Hollday Chance.

ramed Pictures in a variety of pleasing subjects—in nice, white enamel frames. Special for Wednesday Large Framed Pictures, in beautiful subjects and rich, heavy 6-Inch frames, \$1.79 with oval mats—cheap at \$2.50.

A LINING SENSATION

50 pieces genuine pure linen black Can-vas that got a little damo through the carelessness of the Trans-fer Company, have fallen into our hands for a mere trifle. Damage is very slight. The goods were never sold under 15c a yard. While they last Wednesday we will sell them at.

A Sensation in Kid Gloves

A Wednesday Sale of Linens

That will set every tengue in town agoing.

220 pairs 32-inch Lace Pillow Shams, very Pocket Books. Card Cases. handsome designs, taped Ladles' Fine Leath. Genuine Allig Scrim. Table Damask.

Table Damask.

Napkins.

NOTION BARGAINS.

in fancy colors. C Black Cat Stick 50 Pins, for ... 50 Steel Curling
Irons, each ... 2C
28 assorted black
English Pins, put
up in a box,
worth 10c, for. 2C

More a 50
Worth 10c, for. 2C Semi-Circle
Sewing Wax...2C
A 4-yard roll of Velveteen skirt
Veteen skirt
Binding for ... 4C Fancy Featherstitch Braid,
per bunch ... 2C
Bunch of assorted
Whale
Bones ... 3C

HANDKERCHIEFS.



perfect, worth

BUY YOUR

XMAS GIFTS Belts, sold elsewhere for 20c, here for 10c st., here for

er Pocket Books, with oxydized and silver trimmings, well

Fans.

20 fine Fans, silk, gause and feather, the newest designs and very pretty worth file, it and sl. 25, in s lots, for wednesday 250 and at 250; a Dressing Cases.
Men's Dressing
Cases made of Sole
Leather, containing Hair Brush,
Tooth Brush and Comb. worth sec. 490 Albums. Benutiful Plush Al

Photo Frames. Collar and Cuff Boxes.

In plush, with satin linings, worth \$1, here for 500 for \$1,25

UNDERSKIRTS.

\$1.00

THREE COLORED SHOPLIFTERS.

They Wore Long Cloaks and Were Do-

ing Quite Well. Lulu Gordon, Maggie Brown and Lulu Hughes, three negro wenches and inmates of a house on Gay street, started on shoplifting expedition Monday afternoon. shoplifting expedition Monday arternoon.

They stopped at Henry Fink's shoe store,
2010 North Fourteenth street, and took two
pairs of shoes. They next visited Weimeyer's dry goods store, 1801 Warren street,
and carried off three woolen dress skirts
and carried off three woolen. At Geo.

Tyler Place Church Organized.

rowly escaped killing herself and family with rough on rats Monday evening. Unknowingly she upper a box of the peison and some of it fell into a pot of potatoes. Mrs. McKane and the four other members of her family became sick as soon as they partook of the potatoes. Dr. Boyce saved them with a stomach pump.

GIVEN HOURS TO LEAVE.

John Goegel, brother of Willie Goegel the murderer of Jerry Capels, was in Police Court Tuesday morning, charged with idding. The police recognized his fondness for doing nothing and brought him in on a charge of idding.

As Goegel could not satisfactorily explain his presence in the city without having visible means of support, he was given orders to leave the city at 9 p. m. or the lot the Work-house to serve out a 100 ms.

MIXED TRANSACTION.

Sixty Dressed Turk ga

BOUGHT AT TRUSTEE'S

mas. To be dell ered in Wednesday, Dec. 27 A ross, giv-Louis, "TURF.LYS," we Fret-

EMPLOYMENT GROUPING.

SITUATIONS WANTED-MALE 20 words or less. Sc. BOY-A strong boy wants to learn the horseshooding trade; has had some experience. Ad. F. Schall, 3861 Lucky st.

BOOKKEEPER-Will do your office work confidentially, thoroughly, cheap; service 2 to 5 hours daily; writes shorthand. Ad. M 134, this office. GOOK-KEEPER-Good book-keeper and expert at figures desires position: at present employed, but desires a change; AI reference. Add. K 187, this

BOOKKEEPER-Wanted, situation by competer bookkeeper; post, examine; make temporary permanent engagement. Ad. T 186, this office. BOY-Wanted, situation by a boy of 18 as eleva-tor boy. Ad. I, 172, this office.

CASHIER-Wanted, position as cashier in re-rant; can furnish cash bond. Ad., H 185,

DRIVER-Situation wanted by young married man as driver or porter; handy with tools. Ad. W 186, this office.

DRIVER-Situation wanted as delivery well acquainted in city; references furn Ad. E 187, this office. DESIGNER—Wanted, position by experienced designer and draughtsman; good estimator and salesman; practical mechanic on bank, office and store fixtures, interior finish, stairwork, etc.; has had experience as bench and also machine hand; references furnished. Ad. C 187, this

FIREMAN - Wanted, situation as fireman; will give \$10 to any one getting me a place. Add. C 188, this

JOURNALIST—Young and energetic, desires a pos-tion on some Western paper; can furnish firs class references. Ad. James A., Davenport, Io. MAN-Wanted, situation to tend furnace for board; good references. Ad. P 185, this office.

MAN-Situation wanted by young man, Swed will do any kind of work. 2206 Morgan st. MAN-Wanted, situation to do light work of any kind by middle-aged man of good address. Call at 2132 Clark av

MAN-Wants sit. to care for horses, cows, gardens furnaces, etc; handy with tools; 7 years' cit; refs. Add. O 188, this office. MAN-Young man of 24, who is well experienced in kinds of hotel work, wants a place; work of any kind. Add. F 188, this office.

MAN-Wanted, situation by a young man to work of any kind. Add. E. V., 417 S. 14th st.

PAPERHANGER—Paper-hanging to do; will paper four room, ceilings and walls with good paper for \$3.50. Chas. A. Price, No. 3711½ N. 25th st. STENOGRAPHER—Young man, stenographer, in derstanding bookkeeping and desirous of bein tenerally useful, solicits employment; 6 years experience; references. Ad. G 170, this office. TAILOR-Wanted, a position by a first-class tailor and cutter in country or city. Ad. L 185, this

TINNER-Situation wanted by a first-class tinne on assortment work, or as hardware stock clerk Best refs. Add. E 178, this office. VATCHMAN-Wanted, position as watchman, in side or outside; experience. Address K., 100

YOUNG MAN—Wanted, position by young married man; experienced business man; has some money to invest; would buy a small business. Ad. F. G. Pile, Sebree, Mo. YOUNG MAN—Wanted, position of any kind by young married man of good address; good refer ences. Ad. H 187, this office. OUNG MAN-Wants work of any kind; well acquainted with city; good references. Ad. A 174,

good education; can give good references bond. Ad. B 188, this office. \$10.00 UP-Suits and overcoats to order.

HELP WANTED-MALE. 14 words or less, 10c.

APPRENTICE WANTED-A young man to lear the barber trade. 2003 Market st. BOY WANTED—Smart, active boy not over 49, feet tall, for standard traveling combination good reference required. Ad. 8 186, this office BOYS' CLOTHING cut and made at moderate price by first-class tailor. Room 217, Mermod Jaccard Building, corner Broadway and Locust Take Locust st. elevator.

BRING your own goods and we will cut, trim and make men's or boys' suits, trousers and over-coats at lowest prices; first-class fit and work-manship by experienced tailor. Room 217, Mer-mod-Jaccard Building, corner Locust and Broad-way. DENTIST WANTED-Must be good operator; \$11 a week to start with. Ad. E 188, this office.

DISHWASHER WANTED—Boy; colored, 1610 Lucas pl. FREE treatment for all private, blood and recta diseases. General Dispensary, 1408 Franklin av LAWYER WANTED-A young lawyer with refe ence. Mark A. Selsor, Spickard, Mo.

MEN WANTED-For introducing a new great ticle; any man can do it. 2005 Morgan st. MEN AND WOMEN WANTED—Men and women out of employment and willing to work can learn of a permanent situation at good wages by writ-ling at once to P. V. H., Box 283, Augusta, Me.

MEN WANTED—Shovelers and teamsters on Page and Blackstone ava.

NEW OPPORTUNITY to learn the barber trade everything thoroughly taught in 8 weeks by ou new system; tools given upon entering; be surinvestigate; catalogues mailed free. Moler's er College, 821 N, 11th st.

RESS FEEDER WANTED—Job press feeder. Benton & Co., 620 Locust st.

BALESMAN WANTED—City salesman by company introducing new brand chewing rum; liberal terus to right man. Ad. F 186, this office. OLICITORS WANTED—For sults, trousers, overcoats. Call at Room 217, Mermod-Jaccard Bulling, corner Broadway and Locust at. SALESMEN WANTED—To sell to dealers; \$100 monthly and expenses; experience unnecessary Write for particulars. Acme Cigar Co., Chicago

SHOEMAKER WANTED—Shoemaker for new in a coaterman abop. 1808 North Market st. TO TRADE—Wanted, to trade clothes made to order for meat and provisions. Add. O 186, this office

HELP WANTED MALE.

WRITER WANTED-To shape or correct verses YOUNG MEN WANTED-2 energetic young men; all winter's job at good pay. 1424 Franklin av. YOUR winter shoe—handsome box-calf, Goodyea welt, calf-lined, invisible cork sole, extrem needle toe, \$2.49. Harris, \$4 shoe man, 520 Pine RUBICAM SHORTHAND COLLEGE

STOVE REPAIRS. astings and repairs for stoves and ranges ery description. A. G. Brauer, 219 Locust st

SITUATIONS WANTED-FEMALE.

20 words or less, 5c.

BOOKKEEPER-Experienced lady stenographer and bookkeeper, thoroughly competent and reliable, desires employment; best refs. Add. B 183. this office. OOK-Good cook with child 14 months old wants situation; good references. Apply at Emergency Home, 2808 Morgan st. OOK-Situation wanted by a colored girl as first class cook. Call or send postal to 1408 Morgan OK-Wanted, situation by a good German coon a nice private family. Add. F 187, this office COOK—Situation wanted by colored lady for plain, good cooking. Ad. Minnie Baker, 1833 Linder st., upstairs.

DRESSMAKER—First-class dressmaker desires if few more engagements; terms reasonable; bestrefs. Add. W 166, this office. HOUSEGIRL-Situation wanted by girl to do general housework in small family; no washing, 4443 Hunt av. HOUSEKEEPER-Wanted, situation by a refined young widow as housekeeper for widower of bachelor; no triflers. Ad. P 149, this office. HOUSEWORK—Colored woman wishes place for general housework. 2654 Morgan st., rear. HOUSEKEEPER—Wanted, situation as housekeeper in first-class rooming house or for a widower or bacehor; first-class reference; home and not wages wanted. Add. H 186, this office.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted to do genera housework and laundry work; best of references 3007 Olive st. HOUSEWORK—Young girl would like situation thelp in general housework or nurse. Address 40 S. 21st st. HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted by German girl in nice family to do upstairs work; will assist with fire. 1731 N. 12th st.

HOUSEWORK—Wanted, work by the day or in small family; want to sleep at home. Add. Mrs Badie Jones, 1426 N. 7th st. HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted to do light house work in small family or as nurse for infant; ex perienced. Ad. B 187, this office. HOUSEKEEPER—A good, reliable girl wishes place to do housework in a small family; goo cook. Ad. 1809 Montgomery st., in the rear. HOUSEGIRL—Wanted, situation by neat colored girl to do general housework or cook. Call or ad-dress 1619A N. Leffingwell av.

HOUSEGIRL Situation wanted by a neat colored girl for housework or nursing. Call at 3820 Washington av. HOUSEWORK—Elderly German widow wishes situation in small family; good home and small wages. Add. D 186, this office.

HOUSEWORK—A colored woman wishes situation to do general housework in small family. 230 Franklin av., 3d floor. AUNDRESS-Wanted, laundry work and cleaning by the day; references. 2651B Olive st. LAUNDRESS—White laundress wants rough-dried clothes to take home; guarantee satisfaction 4324 North Market st.

AUNDRESS-Wanted, washing; will go out o take home; best references. 4551 Cottage av. LAUNDRESS-Wanted, washing to take home 4268A Kennerly av. LADY-Middle-aged lady wishes a position to de light housework; more for a home than wages Call at 7728 S. Broadway.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, situation by laundress to go out by the day, or take home washing; city refs. 820 S. 22d st. LAUNDRESS—A colored laundress wants situation to wash Monday or Tuesday or small family wash to take home. Ad. Laundress, 3416 Washington av., rear.

NURSE-Experienced nurse will take patient to her home to care for during confinement or will take invalid; physicians' references. Ad. R 170, this office. SEAMSTRESS-Would like a few more engage ments in families; 75c a day. Ad. N 186, this office.

work by the day. Ad. R 187, this office ALESLADY—Wanted, by young lady, position as saleslady or copyist; very rapid writer; good reference. Add. R. Risiner, 3808 N. 9th st. STENOGRAPHER—Lady Smith Premier operator wants position; three years' experience; \$6 per week. Ad. E 168, this office. STENOGRAPHER—Situation wanted as steno rapher by competent young lady; has good exper ence; \$5 a week; refs. Add. A 184, this office. WAITRESS—A young girl wishes a position a waitress or chambermaid; has had experience Ad. O 186, this office. WOMAN—A Colored woman wants position to de general housework in small family. Ad. A 187 this office.

STOVE REPAIRS.

tepairs for stoves and ranges of every description. Jos. Forshaw, 111 N. 12th st.

HELP WANTED-FEMALE.

BUTTON HOLE MAKERS WANTED-Experies button hole makers on custom coats. Apply N. 7th at. OOK WANTED-Competent girl to cook, and iron; four in family. 3842 Olive st. OOK WANTED-Girl; must be a good of washer and ironer; white. 3144 Franklin av FINISHER WANTED—Good finisher on customer coats. Apply at 809 N. 7th st. Pine st., 3d floor, Room 18. IRLS WANTED-Expert checolate dippers. Hart-man's, 2632 Franklin av. GIRLS WANTED—Experienced basters on shop coats, 1708 Wash st. HOUSEGIRL WANTED-A good German girl for general housework. 2044 Madison st. HOUSEGIRL WANTED-White girl for general housework. 2812 Lucas av., 1st floor.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED-At 304 Clark av. OUSEGIRL WANTED-Girl for general house work. 2311 Montgomery st. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good, strong girl for gen eral housework. 8125 Easton av. IOUSEGIRL WANTED—A German girl for gen housework. 3402 Pine st. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—City references requirements and areas are seen a USEGIRL WANTED-A woman for generousework. 2847 Lafayette av. HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework; no washing, ironing or cooking. 383 Finney av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist with general housework; small wages. 2634 Pine st.

HELP WANTED—PRMALE, 14 works or less 10s. OUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general work; family of two. 4288A West Bell ; CADY WANTED—To learn chiropodist, manicu, ing, tedacuring and massage treatment; can ear \$12 a week in a short fime. Apply Dr. Blum 3010 Easton av.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—One who needs a none other need apply, 1416 Washingto between 4 and 5 o'clock. STENOGRAPHER—Wanted, neat lady stenographer with machine; good penman, able tread own writing and dictation work; simple but rapid and accurate; good business educatio for new beginner. Simpson's Dramatic School 12 S 15th st. TAILOR WANTED—Good tailor on custom coats Apply at 809 N. 7th st.

WOMAN WANTED-To help in kitchen. 3906 La-clede av., one door west of saloon. AGENTS WANTED.

AGENTS WANTED—Good men make big mone; selling Economy gas burner. Room 35, 904 Olive ANUFACTURERS WANTED—Everywhere, small capital; article costs 8c; retails a sells at every house; no humbug or street exclusive protection given. Ad. D 168, this of

PARTNERS WANTED.

14 words or less 20c.

CANVASSERS.

CANVASSERS WANTED—Experienced lady car vassers to introduce a new household necessit in St. Louis and vicinity. Ad. D 185, this office SOLICITOR WANTED-First-class man solici or one who has laundry route. Room 337, W.

LOST AND FOUND. 14 words or less, 10e

Lost. CLOTHING-Lost, a small boy's collar and ree between Forest Park and Garrison av. Ret to 2809 Dayton st. and get reward. DOG-Lost or strayed, pointer dog, white and live color; answers to name of "Bob;" also Gordon setter name "Fanny." Reward at 1711 Wash at DOG-\$10 reward-Lost, in Forest Park, white and liver color pointer. 2019 Easton av. FUR COLLAR—Lost, large, black fur collar Sunday afternoon near Wyoming, Jefferson and Calwor nia avs. Sultable reward if returned to 265; Keokuk st. LADIES' GOLD WATCH-Lost. Return to 616 7th st. and receive reward. POCKETBOOK-Lost, pocketbook, containing ar amount of change and keys, near 6th and Wi-ington av.; reward if returned to 3583 Lindell

BUSINESS CHANCES.

PIN—Lost, gold shield pin set with pearls and turquoise; 3 Greek letters, 2 stars, eye. lamp, in gold on black enamel; "R. G. Wright" on back. Return to Star office and receive reward.

14 words or less, 20c. INVESTMENT—Wanted, competent and hustlin business man who can invest \$3,000; can secur-good position in corporation now forming; invest-ment guaranteed. Ad. K 186, this office.

BUSINESS FOR SALE. 14 words or less, 20c.

LUNCH-ROOM-For sale, neat lunch-room on goo thoroughfare; cheap rent; very moderate price investigate. 408 N. 12th st. MEAT STAND-For sale, meat and vegetal stand at your own price. Ad. R 186, this office. TAILOR SHOP—For sale, tailor shop with stock of woolens; at once; good trade and splendid lo-cation; good reason for selling. Ad. M 187, this office.

TO EXCHANGE. 14 words or less, 20c.

FURNITURE—Wanted, to exchange furniture f a good horse; will pay part money. Call at 8 N. 22d st. WILL SELL or trade an order calling for \$100 worth of merchant tailoring at a medium priced merchant tailoring establishment. Ad. A 186, this office. WHAT have you to exchange for merchant tailor ing at medium priced merchant tailoring establishment. Ad. D 184, this office.

MUSICAL. 14 words or less, 20c.

PIANO—For sale, \$65, 7 1-3 octave upright piano: cost \$350; splendid condition; great bargain. 1826 Pine st.

HAVE YOUR PIANO HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE.

14 words or less, 20c.

SHTON buys stoves, furniture, carpets, old feather beds. Send postal. 205 Hagan Opera Building ASSIMERES and cloths sold at retail. Bot 217, Mermod-Jaccard Building. CLEANING, dyeing and repairing at moders rates. Room 217, Mermod-Jaccard Building, on ner Locust and Broadway. FURNISHINGS—For sale, complete furnish a 5-rooom flat; everything new; partly o 715 N. 28th st. FURNITURE—For sale, bedroom set, \$3; p. set, \$3; sideboard, \$3; Singer machine, dresser. 1704 S. 11th st. FOLDING BED-For sale, handsome folding new; very cheap. 1302 N. Taylor. CURNITURE—Of 2 rooms and kitchen for cheap. Add. C 188, this office. LININGS sold at retail. Room 217, Mermon Jaccard Building. EWING MACHINE-For sale, Singer sewing ma-chine; latest style; all attachments; \$8. 1944

14 words or less, 20c.

14 words or less, 20c OGS-For sale, two young Newfou male. Inquire 1906 Lafayette av. SIDEBOARD—Wanted, to buy sideboard in condition; must be cheap. Add. S 185, this

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE.

14 words or less, 20c. ARPETS, furniture, stoves, ranges, sewing m chines; time payments. Eagle Loan Co., 12 Franklin av.

HOBBY HORSE-For sale, child's hobby cost \$9; in good order; for \$3. 1488 Belt av WILL WORK YOUR GOLD r into rings, pins, etc. Diamond work a special Old Gold accepted as part payment for goods. FRED W. DROSTEN, 619 Olive st.

C ANDELIERS. ser life. Co 136-710 St. Charles TO PRI ERS.

FOR RENT ROOMS, ETC.

MORGAN ST., 3025—Two lovely rooms, ex-board; couple or gentlemen; best reference

OLIVE ST., 3010-Desirable rooms, with or with out board; house modern; terms reasonable.

OLIVE ST., 4289—2 nicely furnished front rosteam heat; board if desired.

PINE ST., \$110-Nicely furnished front and

OOM—Handsome 2d-story front room with par owning house in West End; no children boarders in house. Ad. B 172, this office.

WASHINGTON AV., 3229—Rooms on second flowith desirable board; private house; bath, etc.

ASHINGTON AV., 3422-3424—Fine suite rooms; also single rooms; first-class board.

AUMONT ST., 612 N.-2 or 4 pleasant rooms, anduralehed; mut reasonable to respectable party, ORA PL, 1703-For rest, suitable for you couple, 4 rooms and bath; \$15.00.

CHESTNUT ST. 2926-2d-floor front and rooms; new and handsomely furnished; hot and furnace heat; for gentlemen only. CHOUTEAU AV., 944 2 connecting front room complete for housekeeping; cheap; also others. CARR ST., 1900—Furnished rooms for light keeping or roomers; \$1.25 a week and up. CHOUTEAU AV., 1821—Nicely furnished second story room for young man; heat, bath, all conveniences; \$1.50 per week.

COMPTON AV., 1021 N.-Nicely furnished from room, for housekeeping; private family; low price CHOUTEAU AV., 962-Nicely furnished root water in rooms; housekeeping, 1st and 2d floor CAROLINE ST., 2651-Room furnished for two gents or light housekeeping; bath, heat, gas HOUTEAU AV., 1100-Light housekeeping: front rooms, furnished complete; \$12 a month CHESTNUT ST., 1002—Neatly furnished rooms for light housekeeping or gents. DAYTON ST., 2813A-Lovely large unfurnished 2d-story room; southern exposure; rent reason

FINNEY AV., 4124-Nicely furnished room, with board, heat, gas and bath. PRANKLIN AV., 817—Large, newly furni rooms for light housekeeping; rent \$2.25 \$2.50 per week. GARRISON AV., 1807 N.-2 or 3 rooms, furnish for housekeeping; reception hall, bath, etc. EFFERSON AV., 235 S .- 3 furnished rooms, siz gle or en suite, to party without children.

EFFERSON AV., 715 N.—Nice furnished room for gents or light housekeeping. OCULT ST., 2307-Handsomely furnished floor front rooms; all convs; strictly good board. LOCUST ST., 3107-Elegantly furnished rooms. LUCAS AV., 2704—Newly furnished front and connecting rooms, 2d floor; other rooms; reasonable. LEFFINGWELL AV., 1714—Three large rooms stable for two horses and wagon; \$11.

ECONARD AV. 620—Between Lucas and Wash-ington—A well-furnished room in heated house, with modern comforts; cheap. MCAS AV., 2605-Furnished 2d story front roof for 2 or 3 gents, \$4 per month; all convs. OCUST ST., 2620-New, elegantly furnished room reasonable rates. UCAS AV., 3336—Two nicely furnished room single or en suite. fORGAN ST., 2838-1 very large furnished roo and kitchen for light housekeeping. fORGAN ST., 1424—Rooms for housekeeping, \$1. and \$2 per week; with cook stove. LIVE ST., 2637—Neatly furnished rooms, souther exposure; \$1.25 per week.

OLIVE ST., 2901—Handsomely furnished cornerom; also large and small room; gents or transients. OLIVE ST., 1105-Nicely furnished rooms; gent men only; terms reasonable; location first-class LIVE ST., 1308—Desirable front room, neat furnished; gas and fire. OLIVE ST., 1719-2 front and other rooms; from \$1 up per week.

nace beat, gas.

LIVE ST., 2333-Large 2d-story front and back rooms; gents or housekeeping; fire. OLIVE ST., 2652—Furnished rooms for housekeeping and other rooms; very reasonable. OLIVE ST., 2838-Double parlors, suitable for doc for or dentist; also furnished rooms for gentle LIVE ST., 2326-Newly furnished rooms for ligh housekeeping or roomers; \$1.25 per week and up INE ST., 1303-Furnished rooms for light house keeping or roomers; \$1.25 per week and up. INE ST., 2310-Large furnished front room; als large unfurnished room, with 3 windows; cheap AGE AV., 3617-Nicely furnished 2d-story from room in private family; all conveniences. PINE ST., 2324—Fur. and unfur. rooms; also light housekeeping, with large closets; reas. pri INE ST., 2320-Furnished rooms; also unfu INE ST., 2902-2d-story large front room, wit 2 closets, for light housekeeping or otherwise; al

PINE ST., 1010—Furnished front rooms, 2 or more gents or man and wife; \$2. PINE ST., 10171/2—Nicely furnished rooms; fire and lights; \$1 per week and up. PINE ST., 3323—Large basement room; respectable colored woman, in exchange for work. ROOMS—Nicely furnished front rooms, also house keeping rooms; cheap rent. Apply 2004 Olive st. ROOM-Large front room, furnished, for 1 or 2 gents; \$1 each a week; South side. Ad. P 187 OHOOL ST., 3310-Nicely furnished front room furnace heat; private family; reasonable.

THERESA AV., 507-35th and Olive-Handsome furnished front rooms; modern conveniences; pryate family; \$10 and \$12. WASHINGTON AV., 1235-Nicely furnished from sunny room; 75c if 3, \$2 if 2; housekeeping. VASHINGTON AV., 1217—Clean, well-furnish norms for housekeeping; also elegantly furnish carlors VASHINGTON AV., 1300—Furnished front 2d floor southern rooms; \$1.50 and \$2.50 per week corner bouse; furnace. WASHINGTON AV., 1013-Nicely furnished fron rooms \$1.50 to \$2.50 per week, with gas and fire VALNUT ST., 620—Single rooms for men, 20c to 25e might, \$1 to \$1.50 week. or light housekeeping; \$1 and \$2 week. 2TH ST., 113 N.—Furnished rooms for ligh housekeeping or roomers; \$1.25 per week and up 15TH ST., 21 S.—Large furnished housekeepin rooms; \$1.25 and \$1.75 per week.

ROOMS WITH BOARD. 14 words or less, 10c.

BELL AV., 3141—Pleasant, well-furnished room with board; strictly private family; all conveni BOARD-Wanted, two day boarders in private family; no other boarders. Add. O 187, the office.

BOARD—Room and board for lady in suburbs private home; convenient to city; \$3 per week Add. S 172, this office. BROADWAY, 2012 N.—Furnished rooms, with gas, bath, with or without board. BOARD-Respectable young man can find com-fortable home in a refined Jewish private family convenient to SF Broadway. Ad. A 188, this office.

OOK AV., 4213-A pleasant furnished room, 2d floor; board if desired. CLARK AV., 2132-Nicely furnished room, with good board and fire; \$4 per week. UGENIA ST., 2104—Well furnished large from room, 2d floor, for 3 or 4 parties; \$1 each; ac commodation good. INNEY AV., 4279A-Excellent room and boar for two; southern exposure; private family.

LOCUST ST., 2836-Nicely furnished rooms, with or without board. UCAS AV., 2716-Nice rooms, with good board home comforts; \$3.50 per week for two. BOOMS WITH BOARD.

MATRIMONIAL.

14 words or less, 30c MATRIMONIAL—Young widow, 27, desires ac quaintance of a gentleman to assist her; object, matrimony, Add. S 187, this office.

14 words or less, 200

DIVORCES A SPECIALTY. Easy terms; confidential. Law office, 1002 Oliv .000 BILLHEADS 50c. Cut prices on print Peerless Printing Co., 9 N. 6th st.

WASHINGTON AV., 2715—Elegantly forms second-story front room, with first-class bot for gents or couple; all conveniences; terms v VEST BELLE PL., 4068-Nicely furnished room ASHINGTON AV., 3023-Elegant rooms, with

BOARD AND LODGING WANTED. BOARD—Young married couple, no children, des room and board by Jan. 1; West End; ter must be reasonable. Ad. N 185, this office. OARD-Wanted, 1 room and board for 2 adults terms must be reasonable. Ad. P 186, this office BOARD-A nice home for girl child of 7 will couple without children. Ad. N 174, this office OARD-2 young men; board in private family West End. Ad. L 186, this office.

FURNISHED FLATS FOR RENT. 14 words or less, 10c. FALTON AV. AND WEST MORGAN-Furnish flat of 4 rooms; bath, gas; janitor service; vercomplete; class to Lindell and Suburban car low rent; shall family. Inquire at 901 Walton

DWELLINGS FOR RENT.

14 words or less 10 cents. CARROLL ST., 1717-8-room house; all conces; rent \$21. Apply 1002 Chestnut st. 16TH ST., 921 N.-Nice 4-room cottage; front at side entrance. Apply at above number.

FLATS FOR RENT.

14 words or less, 10c. EVANS AV., 4309-5-room flat: gas, water close bath and all conveniences; \$20. INNEY AV., 4338A-5-room flat; hot water, ga fixtures and stove; \$20. FRANKLIN AV., 3430 Four-room flat, laundry bath-room; bot water; gas, etc. KEELEY & CO., 1113 Chestnut et. FRANCIS ST., 1443-2d-floor 3-room flat; gas water, celler; fine neighborhood; one block from Easton and Grand; only \$11. ULIAN AV., 3735—New 5-room flat; every convenience; open. INDELL AV., 3559—5-room flat; po childre \$12.50; bath. H. Stone. PARK AV., 3007-5-room flat; hot water; all more improvements and chandeliers; \$19. THEODOSIA AV., 5805-Modern corner flat; large rooms and handsome bath-room, hot an cold water; rent \$12. WALNUT ST., 2611-New 4-room flat; gas, bath nice locality; open; rent cheap.

HORSES AND VEHICLES. 14 words or less, 20c.

For Sale. ORSES-For sale, 2 horses, light spring wagoi buggy and harness, at your own price. 320 h

> DANCING. 14 words or less, 20c

HONEY, 2715 Washington av., EDUCATIONAL

ST. LOUIS COMMERCIAL COLLEGE, Y. M. C.

PROFESSIONAL ST. LOUIS LAW EXCHANGE.

LOANS ON REAL ESTATE. 14 words or less, 20c.

"WE LOAN MONEY" racant and improved city property. Applications answered in 24 hours.

HAYDEL & SON, 109 N. 7th st.

LOANS ON PERSONAL PROPERTY

14 words or less, 20c. CONFIDENTIAL LOANS on furniture and planes payments arranged in any manner desired by borrower. Guarantee Storage Co., Royal Build loy, 2d floor, 110 N. 8th st.

URNITURE LOANS-Lowest possible rates; ess payments; no extra charges; you get the ful amount your mortgage calls for; business confidential. The Fidelity Loan Co., 802 Chestnu st., Room 1. HIGHEST amount loaned on diamonds, watches guns, platois and musical instruments; old gold and silver bought; business confidential. Centra Loan Office, 204 N. 4th st.

MONEY to loan on furniture, etc., without moval. 810 Security Bldg., cor. 4th and Loc ONEY advanced on furniture, bleycles, sewin machines, planos; confidential. Eagle Loan Co 1238 Franklin av. MONEY-If you wish to borrow money on planes, furniture, etc., without removal, from a private party and in a private office at bankers rates, in a strictly confidential manner, with no mort-gage recorded, call upon private party, 810 Security Bidg., cor. 4th and Locust ats.

MONEY TO LOAN—On furniture and planes; any amount you desire, without removing property from house; money can be paid back in installments and save interest; no commission of charges for papers; money given same day applied for John C. King, 814 Morgan. Bus. pri. ONEY ON EAST TERMS—A gentleman have some surplus funds will lend \$10 and upwar on furniture, pianos, bicycles, etc. Call or of dress 1015 Morgan st. RESPECTABLE parties can borrow money on fur niture, etc., of private party on easy terms lowest rates; no extra charge for papers; by calling at 904 Olive st., Room 2.

WHEN in need of money call on us; we make loans of any amount on furniture or pianos with out removal; our rates are much lower and term sasier than you can obtain elsewhere; no in quiries among your neighbors or employer; you can pay the money back in small monthly payments; all transactions are confidential; call and we will explain to you in full; no delay. Anchor we will explain to you in full; no delay. Anchor ments; all transactions are confidential; call and we will explain to you in full; no delay. Ancho. Loan Co., 1081/2 N. 8th st. FURNITURE LOANS.

toney to loan on furniture at residence without oval; lowest rates; business strictly confidence. Union Loan Co., 1103 Pine at. SPECIAL SALE

We have just put in stock a large lot of tallot missit and uncalled for partments, seasonable goods, at prices that should interest you.

FILLED CASE WATCHES.

We are also overstocked on ladies' and guestlemen's filled case watches. All the standard makes of movements and cases. See the prices we will make for your we will make for your continues to the prices we will make for your partments. See the prices we will make for your partments and makes the prices we will make for your partments. See the prices we will make for your partments and makes an THOS. DUNN LOAN. STORAGE at TILE CO. 912 FRANKLIN AV.

PERSONAL.

ERSONAL—Sunday, 7 p. m. Park and Jefferson avs., gentleman waiting for Jefferson av. car would be pleased to meet the roung last who passed on Park. Ad. @ 192, this office.

MATRIMONIAL—Young lady living at hos high social standing, attractive, educate refined, desires acquaintance of gentleman sist her moderately; object, matrimony, 187, this office.

PERSONAL SUNDRIES.

A SPECIALIST treats free privats, nervous, and skin diseases; cure guaranteed; only for medicine. Medical Co., 107 N. 9th st.

DOES your overcoat need a new collar or a new set of buttons? We will put it on at the price others pay for the material; goods called for and delivered if desired. Call or ad. Room 217, Mermod-Jaccard Building, cor. Locust and Broadway. DYSPEPSIA, heartburn, gastritis and all stomach disorders positively cured by Grover Graham's Remedy, No distress after first dose. A 50c hottle convinces. Judge & Dolph's Pharmacy, corner 4th and Market or 7th and Locust. Write Grover Graham Co., Newburg, N. Y., for phamph. DR. MARY ARTHUR, 2701 Morgan st., boards la-dies during confinement; treats female diseases; ladie, to trophly call or write; consultation free; reasonably rates.

GET TOUR BROTHER a suit or a pair of trou-sers for X.mas; lowest prices for best men's tailor-made garments. Room 217. Mermod-Jac-card Building, corner Broadway and Locust st. LUSK SANITARIUM—Reliable and incorporated; perfect seclusion during confinement; female diseases a specialty, 1630 Pine st. LADIES in trouble will not regret calling at 2203

LADIES in trouble won't regret calling on Mrs Bridges, 1204 Chouteau av. MME. E. BARTHOLOMEW, magnetic treatment highly recommended; restores system, 109 S. 14th AGNETIC TREATMENT, \$1, by Lady Alpine assisted by Miss Pansy Rose. 1513 Chestnut at MAGNETIC TREATMENT—Mme. Sheva, chiropo-dist; manicuring. Miss Lawson, 1933 Franklin. MRS. H. BAMBERGER, midwife: ladies can find help and board reasonable. Res., 919 Chouteau av MRS. L. HOTSON receives during confinement treats irregularities; satisfaction guarante honest dealing; information free; experience diseases; ladies in trouble call. 2201 Olive st.

OLD DR. WARD, 1307 Washington av.—Lady of gent in trouble from any cause call or write; 40 years' experience; guarantee results. OUT-OF-TOWN parties: Leave your measures for reference at Room 217. Mermod-Jaccard Bidg., and will seed any time; samples to select from, and ship suft when paid; privilege of examination

THOSE slightly worn trousers can be cut over for the boy at reasonable rates at Room 217, Mer mod-Jaccard Building. Take Locust st. elevator THE Golden Seal Female Regulator is the best on the market; it gives relief in 3 hours; never fails to remove any irregularities from any cause; be-ware of cheap imitations; thousands of ladies use it. Sent. secure from observation, for \$1. Golden Seal Med. Co., P. O. Box 290. St. Louis.

Consult us and save time, trouble and expense. onsultation free. ST. LOUIS LAW EXCHANGE, 1101 Chemical Building, 8th and Olive.

LADIES. A friend in need is a friend in-deed. If you want a Regulator that never fails. address the Woman's Medical Home, Buffalo, N. Y. RELIEF, LADIES! Throw nuere is absolute safety and certainty in Mr. Dale's No. 2 "Egyptian" brand Pennyroyal Boot Pills, the only "regulator that registerly removes irregularities from Surely removes irregularities from any cause; guaranteed wholly superior to any other known remedy No need to risk life and future happiness in experiments with doubtful and dangerous nostrums. Uter ine tonic—leaves the patient in better health and greater vitality. St. Louis offices in charge of woman who knows woman's ills. Consultation freplain advice. Your only sure dependence. No. 2 \$2.00; No. 3, \$3.00 (No. 1, \$1). Dale Medicine Corrom A, 914½ Olive st., city—or R. H. Pardee druggist, 4966A Easton av.

F. DE DONATO.

of French dolls with natural, human hair. Doll hoes and stockings. Doll mending a specialty.

,000 BUSINESS CARDS, \$1.



Full Set of Teeth Gold Crown, 22k Bridgework, per Silver Fillings Gold Fillings

NATIONAL DENTAL PARLORS. DR.E.C.CHASE



Largest and best equipped office in the city Modern methods. Moderate prices. Materia and work the very best. Painless extracting FREE, when new teeth are made. DR. W. J. CORD

Will give you more for your money than any
other dentist; no charge for examination; hours
8 to 6; Sundays, 9 to 4. 1324 Washington av.
(corner 14th st.).

14 words or less, 20

ADIES: Chichester's English Pennyroyal Pili (Diamond Brass), are the best. Safe, reliable Take no other. Send 4c. stamps, for particular 'Relief for Ladies.' in letter by reviews mail. A lruggists. CHICHESTER CHEMICAL CO., Palls

ALL SORTS



LABOR FEDERATION.

ve Bight-Hour

CINCINNATI, Dec. 15.—The second day's session of the sixteenth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor was called to order by President Gompers with all the 125 delegates present. The committees were called for reports.

The Committee on Credentials asks for further time.

The Committee on Credentals asks for further time.

Objections were raised by those who claimed that the contest of Woodbury va. Pomeroy, President of the Walters' Assogued that it might as well be fought out on the floor of the convention now as any other time. Pomeroy is sick in bed at his hotel and it was urged that the committee should go there to hear his case.

A resolution was adopted requiring the Committee on Credentials to make a final and complete report by to-morrow. Then the committee said they would try to report this afternoon.

the compilete report by to-morrow. Then the committee said they would try to report this afternoon.

The contest over the seating of President Ryan of the Cornice Workers was referred to the Grievance Committee. It is proposed to make a final settlement at this convention of this old fight. Because of the alleged insubordination of the Cornice Workers' Association their charter was annulled.

The only full report was from the Committee on rules. The other committees asked for a recess so they could get at their work. A recess was then taken until 2:30 p. m.

The Committee on Grievances at once begin considering the case of the lathe workers and machinists of Cleveland. The Exercitive Council disposed of most of the Grievances this year before the convention assembled. Most of the agitation is for an effective eight-hour law, and the establishment of 2 cents per capita, which with a membership of over 60,000, would secure a large fund.

HANNA AND SEXTON.

Two Distinguished Politicians Call on

Maj. McKinley. CANTON, O., Dec. 15.—National Chairman M. A. Hanna and Lieut.-Gov. Sexton of New York reached Canton from Cleveland shortly after 1 o'clock this afternoon, and were driven to the McKinley home, where they took lunch and conferred with the President-elect.

they took lunch and conferred with the President-elect.

Maj. McKinley excused himself to callers to-day for an hour or more to place himself in the hands of his dentist. He was driven back to the house about 12 o'clock in company with Mr. Chas. C. Dawes of Chicago, who arrived in Canton from New York this morning. He lunched with the Major and a consultation folowed.

Ex-Gov. W. Cumback of Greensburg, Ind., accompanied by Mr. John W. Lovett of Anderson, Ind., paid their respects to the President-elect during the morning.

Mr. Brutus Clay of Richmond, Ky., son of the famous old Kentuckian, Cassius M. Clay, called on the Major to-day.

Brig. Gen. Jas. L. Bottsford of Youngstown, formerly Quartermaster-General on Gov. McKinley's staff, paid his respects to the President-elect to-day. Gen. Bottsford was also a member of the famous 23d Regiment, O. V. I., with Maj. McKinley during the war.

A DOCTOR DISAPPEARS.

Was in Bad Health and His

Friends Fear Suicide. CHICAGO, Dec. 15.-Dr. Alexander La Brie, at one time a physician on the corps of the Kankakee Insane Asylum, has disappeared. It is thought he has committed suicide, as he has been suffering from paralysis, and has been despondent for some time on that account. The doctor was well known in Denver and Spokane Fulis.

REAL ESTATE WANTED.

14 words or less, 2 'E WILL CONTRACT to erect for owner a block of 4 or 8 flats, 3 to 5 rooms each, and take one year's lease on same. Ad. T 171, this office.

OUSE—For sale, house, with 8 rooms and good stable; lot 63x120; will sell cheap. Apply to 5011 Michigan av.

IMPROVED PROPERTY FOR SALE.

14 words or less, 20

PROPERTY OUT OF CITY FOR SALE LOTS-Have 3 good lots in the town of 8

here; clear title given. Call or write L. Ku 4537 North Market st., St. Louis, Mo.

14 words or less. 20 AMERICAN STORAGE AND MOVING CO., 2315 Olive—Moving, packing and shipping; storage in separate rooms. Tel. 1880. W. H. Langdale, Pres. STORAGE—Regular storage house for furniture, pianos, vehicles, trunks, boxes, etc.; asfe, relia-ble; clean rooms; get our rates; careful moving, packing, ahipping, etc.; estimates free; money loaned. Consign goods to our care. Telephone 4122. R. U. Lecnori, Jr., & Co., 1219-1221 Oliva.

STORAGE.

RIPANS

TABULES

Fidelity Storage, Packing & Moving Co.

Mr. Stephen W. Vorhis, a constable, living at No. 1 First street, Ithaca, Tompkins County, N. Y., writes: "I had catarrh of the stomach in the worst way and my digestion was very bad. I tried all doctors in the city, but they did not do me any good. I was so bad I could not work or set up only part of the time. My sister had been using Ripans Tabules and they had done her so much good that I tried them and after taking them three weeks my catarrh does not trouble me any and I can work and I am getting better all the time. Thanks for the Tabules. You

I want to let other people know it." One Gives Relief. tipame Tabules are said by draggists or by a the price (50 cents a box) is sent to The hip matest Company, Mr. 10 Spruce et., Mar-uple vial, 10 cents.

can use this letter as an ad. with

medicine has done so much for me

my name signed to it. Your

ATTONAL BANK OF THE REPUBLIC of St. Louis, Dec. 12th, 1806.—ELECTION NOTICE

NOT TO ABANDON BUT TO IMPROVE.

LIEUT.-COL. HENRY DISCUSSES THE BARBACKS SITUATION.

"STINK FACTORY" IN COURT.

as ever. If it is shown then that no effort has been made to prevent the emission of the naussating oders from the plant of which Carondelet residents complain or that the efforts have been in vain, the injunction will the made perpetual and the reduction works will have to cease operation.

The citizens of Carondelet have fought the reduction works ever since they were established. The decision of Judge Wood marks their first victory in the litigation. One previous attempt at preventing the nuisance was made in Judge Dillon's division of the Circuit Court, but resulted in the Sanitary Company's favor.

Eminent counsel were retained on both sides in the case before Judge Wood and the fight was long drawn out and severe.

SMOOTH CHECK MEN WANTED. Named Langdon and Sherman and Are Needed in Chicago.

MIXED SYSTEM OF CITY LIGHTING.

ARCS AND INCANDESCENTS BOTH TO BE USED.

Named Langdon and Sherman and Are within many conditions. It is prepared to the propose of the p

THE MARKETS.

No.	3 red	89 b 86½b		60
1	Mary Mary Company	CORN.	22	
No.	2 white	21¼ 21¼ 21 a	21 b 21 b 194@194b	24
	Stine PAUL	OATS.		
No.	3	*****		16% 16
	F	iture Pr	ices.	
	Closed. Monday.	Highest. To-day.	Lowest. To-day.	Closed. Tuesday.
	(1) 人名英克 (1) 人	WHEAT.		
	. 91%n 9 . 91%@91%a	1%@92 b	91 n 90½a	91 r 90%s
		CODM		

THE BABBACKS SITUATION.	lon of the Circuit Court, but resulted in		crops, which as would be expected are coming up	was very little news of importance at hand. Receipts at St. Louis were 94,600 bu, as com-	10e;
NOT AN UNHEALTHY PLACE.	the Sanitary Company's favor. Eminent counsel were retained on both sides in the case before Judge Wood and the fight was long drawn out and severe.	THE ADOPTION OF THE PLAN.	crops, which as would be expected are coming up in a very poor fashion. In India the raise have done much good, but the seeding is late, so that it is hardly probable that a good crop will be secured. The estimates on the Argentias exportable surplus from the present crop vary, but the indications are that it will approximate 40,000,000 but the second control of the seco	Receipts at St. Louis wass 94,600 bs, as compared with 29,700 bu for the corresponding date last year. Of these receipts \$2 cars were local, as compared with 20 cars local a year age. On call cash oats were eatirely neglected, but 21%c was bid for May cats with 21%c saked, and after call May oats sold at 21%c. Sample trading was very light and the feeling easies. Offerings were beary, but the demand was light. No. 2 mixed oats were offered at 19c. No. 3 white sold, at from 15c to 20c and No. 4 white sold at 18c. Bradstreet gives the decrease in the visible as	live and 28c; tare
The Old Stone Buildings Must Be	CARRIERS TO SELL STAMPS.	Board of Public Improvements Will	wary, but the indications are that it will approxi- mate 40,000,000 bu.	21%c was bid for May eats with 21%c asked, and after call May outs sold at 21%c.	16e; poin
Abandoned and Modern Quarters	A Scheme by Which Every House Will	Ask for Bids Only Under the	Australian advices continue to grow worse and the colonies continue to buy wheat in North Amer-	easier. Offerings were beary, but the demand was light. No. 2 mixed outs were offered at 19c. No.	BE
Erected in Their Stead.	Be a Post-Office.	Mixed System.	In Russia winter has now settled down in earnest. Navigation is closed in the Baltic and Asot Seas, with hard frosts in the interior. Farmers will be anytons useful.	sold at from 15c to 17%c. Some stained No. 3 white sold at 18c.	3%c cake
LieutCol. Guy V. Henry says Jefferson		The Board of Public Improvements met	cover. In Roumania, Austro-Hungary and Spain	522.000 bn	9 50000
Barracks must be improved, not abandoned. That is his position now, that has been his	stamp agency made a part of every dwelling. The report comes from Washington that the	Tuesday forenoon and after disposing of routine and minor matters the electric light-	are that weather is seasonable and crop prospects give rise to no complaints. Preliminary estimate	Clearances to-day were 127,300 bu, of which 73,000 bu were from New Orleans. RYE. Receipts 1 400 bu; shipments none	Med Coar
position all along. It has been the basis of his reports to the War Department that re-		ing contract for twenty years from Jan. 1, 1900, was taken up.	are that weather is seasonable and crop prospects give rise to no complaints. Preliminary estimate of 1896 poteto crop of the empire is 5,300,000 but below the preliminary estimate of the 1895 crop, but not greatly different from the revised final estimate of 1895.	Receipts 1,400 bu; shipments none. On call 34c was bid for No. 2 rye, this side, but none was offered, and no mention was made of	Fine
suited in the appointment of a Board of Inquiry to investigate the sanitary condi-	of stamps.	After a three-hour session the specifica-	A special from Warsaw, Ill., says: Cholera is	No. 3. Receipts 1,420 tons; shipments 454 tons; market dull, weak. Timothy—Choice, \$10,50@11: No 1, \$9.50@10; No. 2, \$363.50: No. 8, \$363. Prairie at \$4 for common, \$5@5.50 for No. 2, \$6,50@7 for No. 1 and \$7@7.50 for choice. STRAW—54,50 per ton for wheat; rye, \$6@6.50.	Slig
	order, but expects it, for St. Louis is among	tions for the mixed arc and incandescent system were adopted.	Have lost entite diotes.	dull, weak. Timothy—Choice, \$10,50@11; No 1, \$0.50@10; No. 2, \$3628.50; No. 8, \$6667. Prairie at \$4 for common \$5685.50 for No. 2, \$4 5067. for No.	Kan Brig
tion of Jefferson Barracks and the new Ar- cadia rifle range. This was supposed to be the department's first step towards abandoning the post, and there was a storm of protest from St. Louisans. In the midst of the discussion Col. Henry was personally assailed and he was credited with furthering the plan to	der slips to each householder who has on his	The matter was first considered in Com- mittee of the Whole, with Commissioner	The Mark Lane Express says the new wheat is being harvested in the warmer provinces of Ar- gentine and adds that 2,400,000 to 3,200,000 bu	1 and \$767.50 for choice. STRAW-\$4.50 per ton for wheat; rye, \$666.50.	Med Fine
first step towards abandoning the post, and there was a storm of protest from St.	by the department. When a person desires to mail a letter but has not a stamp he may	Holman presiding. The form of contract and the three sets	may be expected from Montevideo. The downward	Bulan - Market dull; demand principally from the Southwest and New Orleans; bulk bran worth about 27628c. East track quiet, with 346238c bid sacked:	Ligh Ex.
Louisans. In the midst of the discussion	put the letter in the box together with the order slip, marked with the size of the	of specifications, one for a straight arc sys- tem, one for a straight incandescent sys- tem, and one for the mixed arc and incan-	moist, warm weather and the latest favorable crop estimate by the English Government. San Francisco reports three new charters to	top rate for special packing and quantities; 34635c bid for country points. This side worth nominally	of
was credited with furthering the plan to abandon the post because St. Louis society	be deposited with the order slip in the seiling envelope.	descent system, were taken up seriatum. Bach was recommended to the board as correct in form and substance.	San Francisco reports three new charters to Europe, and Oregon surplus now cleared up. The Liverpool receipts of wheat for the past three days were 386,667 bu, of which 103,334 bu were American and the balance from Russia. The re-	1 and \$767.50 for choice. STRAW-44.50 per ton for wheat; rye, \$466.50. BBAN-Market dall; demand principally from the Southwest and New Orleans; bulk betan worth shout. 27628c. East track quiet, with \$4663c bid sacked; top rate for special packing and quantities; \$463c bid for country points. This side worth nominally 38640c at the mill. FLOUR_Receipts at St. Louis 4,510 bbls; ship- ments 6,770 bbls. Market continues dull and un- changed; movement light. 24 6064 75	follo
had made so little fuss over him. Other	order to the Post-office, where a clerk will	reported. The report was adopted		changed; movement light. Patents	No.
disparaging remarks, as malicious as they were trivial, were bandled about his record. In his office at the Barracks Tuesday	Mr. Carksle, in speaking of the stamp agency scheme, said: "It is a good thing for persons who live west of Grand avenue and in North and South St. Louis. They can not buy stamps as conveniently as persons	reported. The report was adopted. That placed all three sets of specifica- tions before the board in approved form. The question of advertising for the bids	The opening cables were: Liverpool—Spot wheat steady, 1@14d higher; futures 14d higher. Corn— Spot and futures 4d higher.	Patents 34 6064 78 Extra fancy 4 1064 20 Fancy 3 5063 80 Choice 5 1063 25	No.
Dispatch reporter the causes leading up to	for persons who live west of Grand avenue and in North and South St. Louis. They can	The question of advertising for the bids came up and the real fight was on. Commissioner Colby moved that when the	London-Cargoes of wheat arrived off coast firm; on passage firm, partially 3@6d higher. Corn quiet, on passage steady.	Bye flour 2 6062 80 Cornmeal 1 35 Buckwheat flour, New York, \$4 per bbl; Western,	No.
the appointment of a Board of Inquiry and his own position in the matter. The talk of abandoning the post is gratuitous. The idea has never been entertained by me and	who live in the central part of the city.	be so worded as to call for proposals under	English and French country markets firm.		No.
		the contract, and all three sets of specifica-	The weather map shows continued mild weather everywhere; 22 to 30 deg. above zero in the Northwest and 26 to 28 deg. above in the West and	PORK—The market is firm, but prices unchanged. Standard mess pork, \$8 per bbl for new and \$7.75	Beav
lepartment. It would be unwise. The in- ention is to have an army post near every arge city. Jefferson Barracks is a mag-	for. He will not acknowledge his error and the carrier will have to pay the difference.	At the suggestion of President McMath he added to it a provision reserving to the board the right to reject any and all bids and	west and 26 to 28 deg. above in the West and Southwest.	LARD—Prime steam 3.72%c; choice 3.82%c. BACON—Jobbing sales, boxed lots; Shoulders.	Wolf
arge city. Jefferson Barracks is a mag- ificent property and occupies a strategic position far more important than any of our army posts. Those are practical rea- sons. "It has a right to existence on historic	by the general convenience of the system. "We should have a house to house mail	he added to it a provision reserving to the board the right to reject any and all bds and declaring its intention of rejecting all bds received under two of the sets of specifica-	Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.	PROVISIONS. PORK—The market is firm, but prices unchanged. Standard mess pork, \$8 per bill for new and \$7.75 for rold; on orders, 50c per bill higher. LARD—Prime steam 3.72%c: choice 3.82%c. BACOM—Jobbing sales board of 52.85c; extra short clear, 4fc; clear ribe 4.70c; clear ribes, 4fc. D. S. MEATS—Boxed lots: Shoulders, 4c. extra short clear, 3fc; clear ribs, 4fc; clear ribes, 4fc. On orders by dealers 4c higher. BHEAFAST BACOM—On orders, 10g114c. BEEFF—Mess, 56.50g per bol; dried, 5g11c per lb; tongues, 31.50 per dox. COUNTY LARD—Quotable at 3634c. SEEDS AND CASTOR BEANS. GRASS SEEDS—Timethy, common to fair, \$1.50	RA per 1
our army posts. Those are practical rea-	delivery and collection system without delay, and I am glad we are to have it in connec-	The motion was lost. Commissioners	Tuesday, Monday, Year Ago. Wheat	tra short clear, 3%; clear ribs, 4%c; clear sides, 4%c. On orders by dealers %c higher.	BO
grounds. St. Louisans dd well to arise in	I have increased the deliveries in the ex-	dent McMath voted against it.	Oats 91.684 75,210 622,201 Rye 62,965 62,965 15,936	SUGAR-CURED HAMS—On orders, 10@11%c. BEEF—Mess, \$6.50@8 per bbl; dried, 9@11c per	slaug SCI per 1
protest at the least suspicion of its abandon- ment. I have a personal interest in the old place. My father was stationed here, and	three a day. The carriers have to cover much ground and they cannot spare the time which a slow person may take to an-	Commissioner Stone moved that the advertisement call for bids under only two sets of specifications, the incandescent and	Barley	Ib; tongues, \$1.50 per doz. COUNTRY LARD—Quotable at 3634c. SEEDS AND CASTOR BEANS	stove
		the mixed systems. In the course of the discussion President McMath spoke with considerable feeling	No. 2 corn. 224,251 161,941 71,861 No. 2 white corn. 22,058 31,510 3,718 No. 2 oats. 48,122 37,555 75,478	GRASS SEEDS—Timothy, common to fair, \$1.50 ar. 25.00 prime, \$2.40; clover, weedy and trashy, \$2.50 prime, \$2.40; clover, weedy and trashy, \$2.50 prime, \$2.50 prime, \$2.50 prime, \$2.50 prime, \$2.50 prime, \$2.50 prime, \$2.50 primer and Hungarian, 40 primer and Hungarian, 40 primer primer and Hungarian, 40 primer primer and Hungarian, 40 primer p	BM penti
to keep persistently before the Department the needs of Jefferson Barracks. After a	whistle as they approach a house and an- nounce their coming to all the neighbors.	against receiving bids under three sets of	No. 2 white carn	ferior, \$162; good, \$365; choice, \$5.5068; fancy, \$10213; millet and Hungarian, 40670c.	pentis 75e; 1 15e; 1 kraut
"What I have done since coming here is to keep persistently before the Department the needs of Jefferson Barracks. After a sleep of sixty years the Department has awakened and is going to look into things. "Jefferson Barracks is not a naturally unhealthy site. Here is Gen. Miles' annual report of live sears as Gen.	The result is that everyone in the block is on the watch for the carriers. Some persons object to the blowing of the whistle. Their	against receiving bids under three sets of specifications. He said: "If it should so happen that the lowest bid should be for the straight arc system, we	Regular Cash Market Prices.	FLAXSEED—Dull and lower at 74c. HEMPSHED—\$1.75@2.00. CASTOR BEANS—Car lots prime, \$1.25; broken	40e. count BR
sleep of sixty years the Department has awakened and is going to look into things. "Jefferson Barracks is not a naturally un- healthy site. Here is Gen. Miles' annual report of two years ago. Jefferson Bar- racks stands second in point of healthful- ness. Here is a statement that makerial	complaint is trivial, but it will be obviated by the house to house collection and deliv-	would be obliged to accept it and send the comtract to the Municipal Assembly for approval. Then if the committee to which it	Tuesday. Monday. Year Ago.	BARLEY-Prices ranged from 34c to 88c for Minnesota.	Quote
racks stands second in point of hearthful- ness. Here is a statement that malarial cases were reported from every post except	AN IMPORTANT OPINION	would be referred should call me before	WHEAT.	LEAD AND SPELTER. LEAD-Market continues dull and weak at	80e p
		them and ask me it I considered it to the	No. 2 red 901/b 901/4 9911/b 63	\$2 7009 75	anrenas (
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Con- ditions have changed since them. The num-	AN IMPORTANT OPINION.	them and ask me if I considered it to the best interest of the city to accept the bid I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing	No. 3 red 89 b 90 60 a No. 4 winter 86½b 88 b 55%	\$2.70g2.75. SPELTER—Dull at \$4.10. EGGS.	\$1.200 COO bbls.
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased insufficient attention to sanitation.	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Dues-	best interest of the city to accept the bid I would have to say no. The committeemen would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help	CORN.	\$2.70g2.75. SPELTEE-Dull at \$4.10. EGGS. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz.	\$1.200 COO bbls.
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Con- ditions have changed since them. The num- ber of soldiers here has been greatly in- creased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the burracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and pro-	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Dues- trow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut		SPELTER—Dull at \$4.10. RGGS. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz.	\$1.200 COO bbls, eim, bbls. \$4.50 bbls.
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Con- ditions have changed since them. The num- ber of soldiers here has been greatly in- creased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the bisrracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and pro- duced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future."	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Dues- trow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, re- versing the conviction of a defendant named	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing.	CORN. No. 2	SPELTER—Dull at \$4.10. SPELTER—Dull at \$4.10. EGGS. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Pest-Dispatch quotations are for lots in	\$1.200 COO bbls, eim, bbls, \$4.50; bbls, ing—l
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the birracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Dues- trow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, re- versing the conviction of a defendant named	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Refers the working was put Mr. Holman	CORN. No. 2. 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n OATS. No. 3	SPELITEE—Dull at \$4.10. EGGS. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Pest-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.)	\$1,200 COO bols, eim, bols, \$4.50 bols, ing-light PEC 5c for WA COO
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the burracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plas-	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Refers the working was put Mr. Holman	CORN. No. 2. 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n OATS. No. 3	SPELITEE—Dull at \$4.10. EGGS. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Pest-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.)	\$1.20c COO bols, eim, bbls, \$4.50; bbls, ing-l-l PEO 5c for WAA COO hoops, duce pork
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the burracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun.	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Rebinson. It appears in vol-	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc-	CORN. No. 2. 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n OATS. No. 3	SPELITEE—Dull at \$4.10. EGGS. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Pest-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.)	\$1.206 COC bbls, eim, bbls, \$4.50; bbls, ing-H PEC 5c for WA COO hoops, duce pork 8AL TOG75
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the burracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" Inquired the communder of a young efficer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Robinson. It appears in volume 131 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has just been issued.	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc- Math, which had been incorporated in the	CORN. No. 2 21¼ 21 b 24 n 21½ 215 22	SPELITEE—Dull at \$4.10. EGGS. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Pest-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.)	\$1.20c COC bbls, eim, bbls, \$4.50c bbls, ing -1 CHI PEC 5c for WAACCOC hoops, duce pork SAL 70@75 SOR accord DRI Scotch
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the barracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young efficer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Robinson. It appears in volume 181 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mo- Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commission- ers Colby and Stone, voted for it and Com- missioners Milner. Holman, Ridgley and	CORN. No. 2. 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 3 21¼ 21 b 24 n OATS. No. 3 16¾ Future Prices. Closed. Highest. Lowest. Closed. Monday. To-day. To-day. Tuesday. WHEAT. Dec. 01½n 91½n 91½n 90½a	SPELITEE—Dull at \$4.10. EGGS. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PBUITS.** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at firme prices for choice Christmas stock, but poorer qualities dull and slow. Gentting, 60c@\$1 per bbl: Ben Davis, 60c@\$1.10: winesap, willowtwy and Roman Beauty, \$1@\$1.25; Johnsthan, Huntaman, Favorite, Belledower and King, fancy, \$1.50@\$1.50; Michigan, choice to fancy, \$1@\$1.25; seconds, 50g 76c; New York, choice to fancy, \$1@\$1.25; seconds, 50g	\$1.200 COO bols, eim, bbls, ing-li CHI PEC Sc for WAA COO hoops, duce pork SAL 70075 SOR accord DRI Scatch PEA white, HOF
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the burracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young officer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is left when it falls. The quarters are damp, and no earthly power could make a stove draw proposity up the old-fashioned chim-	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Robinson. It appears in volume 131 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the interest. It is done because the Prosecuting Attorney denounced the defendant as an "infamous lecherous ecoundrie!" The aminion is content of the property of the product of the property of the product o	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc- Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commission- ers Colby and Stone voted for it and Com- missioner Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President McMath against it. Commissioner Milner then moved that bids	CORN. No. 2 21¼ 21 b 24 n 21½ 215 22	SPELITER—Dull at \$4.10. EGGS. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PRUITS** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at firmer prices for choice Christmas stock, but poper qualities dull and slow. Genlting, 90-631 per bbit Ben Davis, 60-631.10; winesap, willowiwk; and Roman Beauty, \$1621.25; Johnathan, Huntaman, Favorite, Belleflower and King, fancy, \$1.5061.95; Michigan, choice to fancy, \$1631.25; seconds, 50-650; New York, choice to fancy, \$1631.5; seconds, 50-680c. Baldwin and dreening at 60-690c; Canada Belleflent at \$1.750c; GRAPES—Pancy New York Catawbas at 12½c per pony basket.	\$1.200 COC bbls, eim, bbls, ing-l'CHJ PEC 5c for WAI COO 6 hoops, duce pork 8AL 70(§75 8OR accord DRI Scatch PEA white, HOF New 1 eign,
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the burracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young officer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is left when it falls. The quarters are damp, and no earthly power could make a stove draw proposity up the old-fashioned chim-	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Robinson. It appears in volume 131 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the interest. It is done because the Prosecuting Attorney denounced the defendant as an "infamous lecherous ecoundrie!" The aminion is content of the property of the product of the property of the product o	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc- Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commission- ers Colby and Stone, voted for it and Com- missioners Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President McMath against it. Commissioner Milner then moved that bids be asked for exclusively under the mixed are and incandescent system. The motion was carried unanimously.	CORN. No. 2.	SPELITEE—Dull at \$4.10. EGGS. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PRUITS.** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at firmer prices for choice Christmas stock, but poorer qualities dull and slow. Gentting, 60c@31 per bbl: Ren Davis, 60c@11.0; winesap, willowtwy and Roman Beauty, \$1@1.25; Johnsthan, Huntaman, Favorite, Belledower and King, fancy, \$1.50@1.90; Michigan, choice to fancy, \$1@1.25; seconds, 50g 75c; New York, choice to fancy, \$1@1.25; seconds, 50g 75c; New York, choice to fancy, \$1@1.10; seconds, 50g 50c. Baldwin and Greening at 60g 50c; Canada Belledenr at \$1.75@2. GRAPES—Fancy New York Catawbas at 12½c per pony bastet. **ELAGA GRAES—\$5@38 per bbl.** **PEARS—New York Keifer at \$1.25@2 per 70-1b	\$1,200 COO bbls, eim, bbls, \$4,50 bbls, \$4,50 bbls, FPEO TOO hoops, duce pork \$AL TOO TOO DRI SAL PEA Whee PEA Whee PEA Whee PEA Whee PEA Whee PEA Whee PEA Whee PEA Whee PEA Whee PEA Whee PEA Whee PEA Whee PEA Whee PEA Whee PEA Whee PEA Whee PEA Whee PEA Whee PEA PEA PEA PEA PEA PEA PEA PEA PEA PEA
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the burracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young officer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is left when it falls. The quarters are damp, and no earthly power could make a stove draw properly up the old-fashioned chimneys." "Since the fire destroyed the new barracks this old stone quadrangle is packed with soldiers," resumed Col. Henry. "Some are even living in the basements.	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Robinson. It appears in volume 181 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the interest. It is done because the Prosecuting Attorney denounced the defendant as an "infamous, lecharous scoundrel." The opinion holds that this was conduct calculated to prejudice the defendant's interest. The language used very sharply censures Prosecuting Attorneys for indulging in and Judges	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc- Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commission- ers Colby and Stone voted for it and Com- missioners Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President McMath against it. Commissioner Milner then moved that bids be asked for exclusively under the mixed are and incandescent system. The motion was carried unanimously. The specifications call for 2.221 ares and 6.841 incandescent. The specifications are in	CORN. No. 2. 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 3 21¼ 21 b 24 n OATS. No. 3 16¾ Future Prices. Closed. Highest. Lowest. Closed. Monday. To-day. To-day. Tuesday. WHEAT. Dec. 01½m 91½m 92 b 91 n 90½a 90½a CORN. Dec. 21 b 21¼a 21¼a 21¼a 21½a 23½b 23¼@23%a 23¾b 23¼@23%a 23½b 23½@23%a 23½b 23½a 21½a	SPELITEE—Dull at \$4.10. EGGS. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PRUITS.** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at firmer prices for choice Christmas stock, but poorer qualities dull and slow. Gentting, 60c@31 per bbl: Ben Davis, 60c@11.0; winesap, willowtwy and Roman Beauty, \$1@1.25; Johnsthan, Huntaman, Favorite, Belledower and King, fancy, \$1.50@1.90; Michigan, choice to fancy, \$1@1.25; seconds, 50g 75c; New York, choice to fancy, \$1@1.25; seconds, 50g 75c; New York, choice to fancy, \$1@1.10; seconds, 50g 50c. Baldwin and Greening at 60g 50c; Canada Belledenr at \$1.75@2. GRAPES—Fancy New York Catawbas at 12½c per pony basket. MLAGA GRAPES—\$5@38 per bbl. **PEARS—New York Keifer at \$1.25@2 per 70-lb ket. LAUFORNIA FRUITS—In fair demand. Pears. 1. 60@1.75 per 46th bory content \$1.60@1.75;	\$1,206 COC bbls, eim, bbls, bbls, sing l FEC Sc for WAA COC hoops, duce pork TOGTOS SORE SCORE PEA White, HOF HOF HOF BAG
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the burracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young efficer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is left when it falls. The quarters are damp, and no earthly power could make a stove draw properly up the old-fashioned chimneys." "Since the fire destroyed the new barracks this old stone quadrangle is packed with soldiers," resumed Col. Henry, "Some are even living in the basements. "The hospital is the unhealthlest spot if the post. Men hate to go to it. Two of the troopers came back from Arcadia slightly indigrenced last summer. They went it in interpretations."	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Robinson. It appears in volume 181 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the interest. It is done because the Prosecuting Attorney denounced the defendant as an "infamous, lecherous scoundrel." The opinion holds that this was conduct calculated to prejudice the defendant's interest. The language used very sharply censures Prosecuting Attorneys for indulging in and Judges for allowing such conduct. Lawyers think this decision will result in many, other cases being sent back to the original courts for new trials. Gov. Charles	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc- Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commission- ers Colby and Stone voted for it and Com- missioners Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President McMath against it. Commissioner Milner then moved that bids be asked for exclusively under the mixed are and incandescent system. The motion was carried unanimously. The specifications call for 2,921 arcs and	CORN. 21½ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21½ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21½ 21 b 24 n No. 3 16½ 19½ 19½ 10 24 n No. 3 16½ 16½ 16 a	\$2.70g2.75. SPELITER—Dull at \$4.10. EGGS. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PRUITS** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at firmer prices for choice Christmas stock, but poper qualities dull and slow. Genlting, 90cg31 per bbit sen Davis, 60cg31.10; winesap, willowiwk; and Roman Beauty, \$1621.25; Johnathan, Huntaman, Favorite, Belleflower and King, fancy, \$1.5061.95; in Seconds, 50cg80c. Baldwin and dreening at 60cg90c; Canada Seledent at \$1.75cg. GRAPES—Pancy New York Catawbas at 12½c per pony basket. MALAGA GRAPES—\$56g88 per bbl. PEARS—New York Keifer at \$1.25cg2 per 70-lb keg. CALIFORNIA FRUITS—In fair demand. Pears, \$1.60cg1.75 per 40-lb box; quinces, \$1.00cg1.25; Tokay grapes, \$1.50cg1.60 not each sid. 20cg.	\$1.200 color blake im. COO bblake im. St. 500 bblak
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the burracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these cld stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young officer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is left when it falls. The quarters are damp, and no earthly power could make a stove draw properly up the old-fashioned chimneys." "Since the fire destroyed the new battacks this old stone quadrangle is packed with soldiers," resumed Col. Henry, "Some are even living in the basements. "The hospital is the unhealthlest spot if the post. Men hate to go to it. Two of the troopers came back from Arcadia slightly indisposed last summer. They went to the hospital. In a few days they developed the set of the se	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Robinson. It appears in volume 131 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has Just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the interest. It is done because the Prosecuting Attorney denounced the defendant as an "infamous, lecherous scoundrel." The opinion holds that this was conduct calculated to prejudice the defendant's interest. The language used very sharply censures Prosecuting Attorneys for indulging in and Judges for allowing such conduct. Lawyers think this decision will result in many, other cases being sent back to the original courts for new trials. Gov. Charles P. Johnson believes that a reversal will be obtained in the Duestrow case for this reason if no other.	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc- Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commission- ers Colby and Stone, voted for it and Com- missioners Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President McMath against it. Commissioner Milner then moved that bids be asked for exclusively under the mixed are and incandescent system. The motion was carried unanimously. The specifications call for 2,921 arcs and 6,841 incandescent. The specifications are in other respects substantially the same as the	CORN. 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 3 16¾@19¾b 24 n OATS. 16¾b 16 a Future Prices. Closed. Monday. To-day.	SPELITER—Dull at \$4.10. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Pest-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PRUITS** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at firmer prices for choice Christmas stock, but poorer qualities dull and slow. Geniting, 60c@31 per bbl: Ben Davis, 60c@1.10; winesap, willowiwk and Roman Beauty, \$1621.25; Johnsthan, Huntsman, Favorite, Belleflower and King, fancy, \$1.50@1.90; Michigan, choice to fancy, \$1@1.25; seconds, 50c@50c. Baldwin and Greening at 60c@0c; Canada Belleflent at \$1.75@2. GRAPES—Fancy New York Catawbas at 12½c per pony basket. MALAGA GRAPES—\$50c@8 per bbl. PEARS—New York Kelfer at \$1.25@2 per 70-lb keg. CALIFORNIA FRUITS—In fair demand. Pears, \$1.60c@1.75 per 40-lb box; quinces, \$1.00c@1.25; Tokay grapes, \$1.50c@1.00 per one-half crate. ORANGES—Quiet. Mexican, \$3.50c@8.75 per box; California navels at \$3.75@4; seedlings at Core.	\$1.200 color blake im. COO bblake im. St. 500 bblak
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the burracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young efficer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is left when it falls. The quarters are damp, and no earthly power could make a stove draw properly up the old-fashioned chimneys." "Since the fire destroyed the new havracks this old stone quadrangle is packed with soldiers," resumed Col. Henry, "Some are even living in the basements. "The hospital is the unhealthlest spot it the hospital. In a few days they developed typhold fever. There is only one thing to do and that is to destroy these old buildings, remedy as best we can the building of	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Robinson. It appears in volume 131 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has Just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the interest. It is done because the Prosecuting Attorney denounced the defendant as an "infamous, lecherous scoundrel." The opinion holds that this was conduct calculated to prejudice the defendant's interest. The language used very sharply censures Prosecuting Attorneys for indulging in and Judges for allowing such conduct. Lawyers think this decision will result in many, other cases being sent back to the original courts for new trials. Gov. Charles P. Johnson believes that a reversal will be obtained in the Duestrow case for this reason if no other.	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc- Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commission- ers Colby and Stone, voted for it and Com- missioners Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President MoMath against it. Commissioner Milner then moved that bids be asked for exclusively under the mixed are and incandescent system. The motion was carried unanimously. The specifications call for 2,921 arcs and 6,841 incandescent. The specifications are in other respects substantially the same as the incandescent specifications, which have been published exclusively in the Post-Dispatch.	CORN. 21½ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21½ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21½ 19¼@19½b 24 n No. 3 16¾b 10½	\$2.70g2.75. SPELITER—Dull at \$4.10. BGGS. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PRUITS.** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at firmer proces to choice Constimus stock, but poorer qualified with choice in the continues of the c	\$1.206 COC bbls, eim, bbls, eim, bbls, fly, fly, fly, fly, fly, fly, fly, fly
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the burracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young efficer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is left when it falls. The quarters are damp, and no earthly power could make a stove draw properly up the old-fashioned chimneys." "Since the fire destroyed the new havracks this old stone quadrangle is packed with soldiers," resumed Col. Henry, "Some are even living in the basements. "The hospital is the unhealthlest spot it the hospital. In a few days they developed typhold fever. There is only one thing to do and that is to destroy these old buildings, remedy as best we can the building of	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Rebinson. It appears in volume 131 of the Misseuri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has Just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the interest. It is done because the Prosecuting Attorney denounced the defendant as an "infamous, lecherous scoundrel." The opinion holds that this was conduct calculated to prejudice the defendant's interest. The language used very sharply censures Prosecuting Attorneys for indulging in and Judges for allowing such conduct. Lawyers think this decision will result in many, other cases being sent back to the original courts for new trials. Gov. Charles P. Johnson believes that a reversal will be obtained in the Duestrow case for this reason, if no other. "The opinion is an eminently fair one," he said. "It has come to be a habit in this State for Prosecuting Attorneys to abuse prisoners at the bar before they have been convicted.	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc- Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commission- ers Colby and Stone, voted for it and Com- missioners Miner, Holman, Ridgley and President McMath against it. Commissioner Milner then moved that bids be asked for exclusively under the mixed are and incandescent system. The motion was carried uranimously. The specifications call for 2,921 ares and 6,841 incandescent. The specifications are in other respects substantially the same as the incandescent specifications, which have been published exclusively in the Post-Dispatch. LINE TO FLORISSANT. Citizens Want the Suburban to Have Opposition.	CORN. 21½ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21½ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21½ 19¼@19½b 24 n No. 3 16¾b 10½ 19½@19½b 24 n No. 3 16¾b 16 a	\$2.70g2.75. SPELITER—Dull at \$4.10. BGGS. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PRUITS** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at firmer proces to choice Constimas stock, but poorer qualified with choice in the continues of the co	\$1.206 COC bbls, eim. bbls. \$4.50; bbls, line. CHI PEC Sc for WA COG Guee PEC WA COG Guee PEC WA COG Guee PEC WA HICK BOS GUE
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the burracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young efficer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is left when it falls. The quarters are damp, and no earthly power could make a stove draw properly up the old-fashioned chimneys." "Since the fire destroyed the new barracks this old stone quadrangle is packed with soldiers," resumed Col. Henry. "Some are even living in the basements. "The hospital is the unhealthlest spot tilthe post. Men hate to go to it. Two of the troopers came back from Arcadia slightly. Indisposed last summer. They went to the hospital. In a few-days they developed typhold fever. There is only one thing to do and that is to destroy these old buildings, remedy as best we can the building of the stables in a sink hole and improve the water supply and sewerage facilities. It will take money to do all this, but the department ower St. Louis somethins. A	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Robinson. It appears in volume 131 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the interest. It is done because the Prosecuting Attorney denounced the defendant as an "infamous, lecherous scoundred." The opinion holds that this was conduct calculated to prejudice the defendant's interest. The language used very sharply censures Prosecuting Attorneys for indusing in and Judges for allowing such conduct. Lawyers think this decision will result in many other cases being sent back to the original courts for new trials. Gov. Charles P. Johnson believes that a reversal will be obtained in the Duestrow case for this reason, if no other. "The opinion is an eminently fair one," he said. "It has come to be a habit in this State for Prosecuting Attorneys to abuse prisoners at the bar before they have been convicted.	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc- Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commission- ers Colby and Stone, voted for it and Com- missioners Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President McMath against it. Commissioner Milner then moved that bids be asked for exclusively under the mixed are and incandescent system. The motion was carried unanimously. The specifications call for 2,221 arcs and 6,841 incandescent. The specifications are in other respects substantially the same as the incandescent specifications, which have been published exclusively in the Post-Dispatch. LINE TO FLORISSANT. Citizens Want the Suburban to Have Opposition.	CORN. 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 19¼@19½b 24 n No. 3 16¾b 16 a 1	\$2.70g2.75. SPELITER—Dull at \$4.10. BGGS. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PRUITS.** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at firmer prices for choice Christmas stock, but poorer qualities dull and slow. Gentling, 60c@31 per bbi: 60cman Beauty, \$4.10; winesap, willowing and Roman Beauty, \$4.10; winesap, willowing and Favorite, Belledford 1.25; Johnsthan, Hutterman, Favorite, Johnsthan, Hutterman, Favorite, Belledford 1.25; Johnsthan, Hutterman, Favorite, Johnsthan, Hutterman, Favorite, Johnsthan, Hutterman, Hut	\$1.200 COC bbis, CCC bbis, cim, cim, bbis, cim, cim, cim, cim, cim, cim, cim, cim
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the burracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young efficer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is left when it falls. The quarters are damp, and no earthly power could make a stove draw properly up the old-fashioned chimneys." "Since the fire destroyed the new barracks this old stone quadrangle is packed with soldiers," resumed Col. Henry. "Some are even living in the basements. "The hospital is the unhealthlest spot tilthe post. Men hate to go to it. Two of the troopers came back from Arcadia slightly indisposed last summer. They went to the hospital. In a few-days they developed typhold fever. There is only one thing to do and that is to destroy these old buildings, remedy as best we can the building of the stables in a sink hole and improve the water supply and sewerage facilities. It will take money to do all this, but the department owes St. Louis something. A dozen posts have been established since the war and Jefferson Barracks has been over-looked.	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Robinson. It appears in volume 131 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the interest. It is done because the Prosecuting Attorney denounced the defendant as an 'infamous, lecherous scoundred.' The opinion holds that this was conduct calculated to prejudice the defendant's interest. The language used very sharply censures Prosecuting Attorneys for indulging in and Judges for allowing such conduct. Lawyers think this decision will result in many other cases being sent back to the original courts for new trials. Gov. Charles P. Johnson believes that a reversal will be obtained in the Duestrow case for this reason, if no other. "The opinion is an eminently fair one," he said. "It has come to be a habit in this State for Prosecuting Attorneys to abuse prisoners at the bar before they have been convicted. "This is opposed to our fundamental rules of law. A man is innocent until he is proven guilty and should be so treated. It is outrageous the way some cowardly lit.	I would have to say no. The committeemen would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which system the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc-Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commissioners Colby and Stone voted for it and Commissioners Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President McMath against it. Commissioner Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President McMath against it. Commissioner Milner then moved that bids be asked for exclusively under the mixed are and incandescent system. The motion was carried unanimously. The specifications call for 2,921 arcs and 6,841 incandescent. The specifications are in other respects substantially the same as the incandescent specifications, which have been published exclusively in the Post-Dispatch. LINE TO FLORISSANT. Citizens Want the Suburban to Have Opposition. At a meeting of the citizens of Florissant a committee of six was appointed to meet a committee appointed by the City Council of Ferguson to confer with the managers	CORN. 21½ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21½ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21½ 19¼@19½b 24 n No. 3 16¾b 10½ 10½@19½b 16 a	\$2.7022.15. SPELITER—Dull at \$4.10. BGGS. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Pest-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PRUITS.** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at firmer prices for choice Christmas stock, but poorer qualities dull and slow. Geniting, 90c@31 per bbi: Ben Davis, 60c@11.0: winesap, willowiwk and Roman Beauty, \$1621.25; Johnsthan, Huntsman, Favorite, Belleflower and King, fancy, \$1.50@1.90; Michigan, choice to fancy, \$1@1.25: seconds, 50g 75c; New York, choice to fancy, \$1@1.25: seconds, 50g 75c; New York, choice to fancy, \$1@1.10; econds, 50g 80c. Baldwin and Greening at 60g 90c; Canada Belleflent at \$1.75@2. GRAPES—Fancy New York Catawbas at 12½c per pony basket. MALAGA GRAPES—\$50g\$8 per bbi. **PEARS—New York Keifer at \$1.25@2 per 70-lb keg. CALIFORNIA FRUITS—In fair demand. Pears, \$1.60g\$1.75 per 40-lb box; quinces, \$1.00g\$1.25; Tokay grapes, \$1.50g\$1.50 per one-half crate. ORANGES—Quiet. Mexican, \$3.50g\$8.75 per box; California, \$3.50g\$8.75. BANANAS—On orders: medium bunches, 75cg\$1; choice large, \$1.25g\$1.50; BANANAS—On orders: medium bunches, 75cg\$1; choice large, \$1.25g\$1.50; COOAACS—S per box. COOAACS—S per box. COOAACS—S per box. JPANES PERSIMMONS—\$1 per 16 crate. JAPANES PERSIMMONS—\$1 per 16 crate.	\$1.200 COC COC COC COC COC COC COC COC COC C
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the burracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young efficer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is left when it falls. The quarters are damp, and no earthly power could make a stove draw properly up the old-fashioned chimneys." "Since the fire destroyed the new barracks this old stone quadrangle is packed with soldiers," resumed Col. Henry. "Some are even living in the basements. "The hospital is the unhealthlest spot tilthe post. Men hate to go to it. Two of the troopers came back from Arcadia slightly indisposed last summer. They went to the hospital. In a few-days they developed typhold fever. There is only one thing to do and that is to destroy these old buildings, remedy as best we can the building of the stables in a sink hole and improve the water supply and sewerage facilities. It will take money to do all this, but the department owes St. Louis something. A dozen posts have been established since the war and Jefferson Barracks has been over-looked.	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Robinson. It appears in volume 131 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the interest. It is done because the Prosecuting Attorney denounced the defendant as an 'infamous, lecherous scoundred.' The opinion holds that this was conduct calculated to prejudice the defendant's interest. The language used very sharply censures Prosecuting Attorneys for indulging in and Judges for allowing such conduct. Lawyers think this decision will result in many other cases being sent back to the original courts for new trials. Gov. Charles P. Johnson believes that a reversal will be obtained in the Duestrow case for this reason, if no other. "The opinion is an eminently fair one," he said. "It has come to be a habit in this State for Prosecuting Attorneys to abuse prisoners at the bar before they have been convicted. "This is opposed to our fundamental rules of law. A man is innocent until he is proven guilty and should be so treated. It is outrageous the way some cowardly lit.	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc- Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commission- ers Colby and Stone, voted for it and Com- missioners Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President MoMath against it. Commissioner Milner then moved that bids be asked for exclusively under the mixed are and incandescent system. The motion was carried unanimously. The specifications call for 2,921 arcs and 6,841 incandescent. The specifications are in other respects substantially the same as the incandescent specifications, which have been published exclusively in the Post-Dispatch. LINE TO FLORISSANT. Citizens Want the Suburban to Have Opposition. At a meeting of the citizens of Florissant a committee of six was appointed to meet a committee of six was appointed to fer a committee of six was appointed to fer of the Northern Central Electric Line in	CORN. 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 3 21¼ 21 b 24 n OATS. No. 3 16¾ 16¾ a Future Prices. Closed. Highest. Lowest. To-day. To-day. Tuesday. WHEAT. Dec 91½ n 91½ 91½ 91½ 90½ n 21¼ n 23½ b 23¼ 023½ b 23¼ 023½ n 23½ 023½ 023½ n 23½ 0 23½ 023½ 023½ 023½ 023½ 023½ 023½ 023½	SPELITEE—Dull at \$4.10. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Pest-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PRUITS.** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at immerprices for choice Christmas stock, but popere qualities dull and slow. Geniting, 90c@31 per bbl; Ben Davis, 60c@1.10; winesap, willowiwh; and Roman Beauty, \$1@1.25; Johnathan, Huntaman, Favorite, Belleflower and King, fancy, \$1.50@1.90; Michigan, choice to fancy, \$1@1.25; seconds, 50g 75c; New York, choice to fancy, \$1@1.25; seconds, 50g 90c. Baldwin and Greening at 60c@90c; Canada Belleflent at \$1.75c. GRAPES—Fancy New York Catawbas at 12½c per pony basket. MALAGA GRAPES—\$50g\$8 per bbl. PEARS—New York Keifer at \$1.25c@ per 70-1b keg. CALIFORNIA FRUITS—In fair demand. Pears, \$1.60c@1.75 per 40-1b box; quinces. \$1.00c@1.25; Tokay grapes, \$1.50c@1.60 per one-hair crate. ORANGES—Quiet. Mexican, \$3.50c@3.75. Dest California, \$3.50c@3.75. BANANAS—On orders medium bunches, 75c@\$1; choice large, \$1.25c@1.50. CRANBERIES—Selling at from \$4.50 to \$8 per bbl; \$1.50c@2.25 per box. COCOANUTS—Selling at \$34 per 1,000. On orders, \$3.75 per 100. STRAWBERRIES—California, refrigerator stock very slow at 25c per pint box. PINEAPPLES—Out at \$1.50c@2 per doz. JAPANESE PERSIMMONS—\$1 per ½ crate. MANDARINS—\$4 per box. MANDARINS—\$4 per box.	\$1.200 COC bbis, COC bbis, eim. bbis. 44.50: bbis, eim. bbis. CHI FEC Sc for AC COC duce FEA SAL Scotch FEA Scotch FEA SCOT FEA S
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the burracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young efficer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is left when it falls. The quarters are damp, and no earthly power could make a stove draw properly up the old-fashioned chimneys." "Since the fire destroyed the new barracks this old stone quadrangle is packed with soldiers," resumed Col. Henry. "Some are even living in the basements. "The hospital is the unhealthlest spot tilthe post. Men hate to go to it. Two of the troopers came back from Arcadia slightly indisposed last summer. They went to the hospital. In a few-days they developed typhold fever. There is only one thing to do and that is to destroy these old buildings, remedy as best we can the building of the stables in a sink hole and improve the water supply and sewerage facilities. It will take money to do all this, but the department owes St. Louis something. A dozen posts have been established since the war and Jefferson Barracks has been over-looked.	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Robinson. It appears in volume 131 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has Just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the interest. It is done because the Prosecuting Attorney denounced the defendant as n'infamous, lecherous scoundred." The opinion holds that this was conduct calculated to prejudice the defendant's interest. The language used very sharply censures Prosecuting Attorneys for indusing in and Judges for allowing such conduct. Lawyers think this decision will result in many, other cases being sent back to the original courts for new trials. Gov. Charles P. Johnson believes that a reversal will be obtained in the Duestrow case for this reason, if no other. "The opinion is an eminently fair one," he said. "It has come to be a habit in this State for Prosecuting Attorneys to abuse prisoners at the bar before they have been convicted. "This is opposed to our fundamental rules of law. A man is innocent until he is proven guilty and should be so treated. It is outrageous the way some cowardly lifted procecuting attorneys are allowed to vilify defendants at she bar. "Much of this sort of abuse was indulged in by both Attorneys Zachritz and Meriwether in the Duestrow case, and I believe there will be a reversal on this ground if	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc- Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commission- ers Colby and Stone, voted for it and Com- missioners Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President MoMath against it. Commissioner Milner then moved that bids be asked for exclusively under the mixed are and incandescent system. The motion was carried unanimously. The specifications call for 2,921 arcs and 6,841 incandescent. The specifications are in other respects substantially the same as the incandescent specifications, which have been published exclusively in the Post-Dispatch. LINE TO FLORISSANT. Citizens Want the Suburban to Have Opposition. At a meeting of the citizens of Florissant a committee of six was appointed to meet a committee of six was appointed to meet a committee appointed by the City Coun- cil of Ferguson to confer with the managers of the Northern Central Electric Line in regard to extending their tracks through to Ferguson and from there to Florissant. The citizens of Florissant and vicinity are	CORN. 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 3 21¼ 21 b 24 n OATS. No. 3 16¾ 16¾ a Future Prices. Closed. Highest. Lowest. To-day. To-day. Tuesday. WHEAT. Dec 91½ n 91½ 91½ 91½ 90½ n 21¼ n 23½ b 23¼ 023½ b 23¼ 023½ n 23½ 023½ 023½ n 23½ 0 23½ 023½ 023½ 023½ 023½ 023½ 023½ 023½	SPELITEE—Dull at \$4.10. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Pest-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PRUITS.** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at immerprices for choice Christmas stock, but popere qualities dull and slow. Geniting, 90c@31 per bbl; Ben Davis, 60c@1.10; winesap, willowiwh; and Roman Beauty, \$1@1.25; Johnathan, Huntaman, Favorite, Belleflower and King, fancy, \$1.50@1.90; Michigan, choice to fancy, \$1@1.25; seconds, 50g 75c; New York, choice to fancy, \$1@1.25; seconds, 50g 90c. Baldwin and Greening at 60c@90c; Canada Belleflent at \$1.75c. GRAPES—Fancy New York Catawbas at 12½c per pony basket. MALAGA GRAPES—\$50g\$8 per bbl. PEARS—New York Keifer at \$1.25c@ per 70-1b keg. CALIFORNIA FRUITS—In fair demand. Pears, \$1.60c@1.75 per 40-1b box; quinces. \$1.00c@1.25; Tokay grapes, \$1.50c@1.60 per one-hair crate. ORANGES—Quiet. Mexican, \$3.50c@3.75. Dest California, \$3.50c@3.75. BANANAS—On orders medium bunches, 75c@\$1; choice large, \$1.25c@1.50. CRANBERIES—Selling at from \$4.50 to \$8 per bbl; \$1.50c@2.25 per box. COCOANUTS—Selling at \$34 per 1,000. On orders, \$3.75 per 100. STRAWBERRIES—California, refrigerator stock very slow at 25c per pint box. PINEAPPLES—Out at \$1.50c@2 per doz. JAPANESE PERSIMMONS—\$1 per ½ crate. MANDARINS—\$4 per box. MANDARINS—\$4 per box.	\$1.200 COC COC COC COC COC COC COC COC COC C
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the barracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young efficer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is left when it falls. The quarters are damp, and no earthly power could make a stove draw properly up the old-fashioned chimneys." "Since the fire destroyed the new barracks this old stone quadrangle is packed with soldiers," resumed Col. Henry. "Some are even living in the basements. "The hospital is the unhealthlest spot if the post. Men hate to go to it. Two of the troopers came back from Arcadia slightly, Indisposed last summer. They went the haspital	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Robinson. It appears in volume 131 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has Just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the interest. It is done because the Prosecuting Attorney denounced the defendant as n'infamous, lecherous scoundred." The opinion holds that this was conduct calculated to prejudice the defendant's interest. The language used very sharply censures Prosecuting Attorneys for indusing in and Judges for allowing such conduct. Lawyers think this decision will result in many, other cases being sent back to the original courts for new trials. Gov. Charles P. Johnson believes that a reversal will be obtained in the Duestrow case for this reason, if no other. "The opinion is an eminently fair one," he said. "It has come to be a habit in this State for Prosecuting Attorneys to abuse prisoners at the bar before they have been convicted. "This is opposed to our fundamental rules of law. A man is innocent until he is proven guilty and should be so treated. It is outrageous the way some cowardly lifted procecuting attorneys are allowed to vilify defendants at she bar. "Much of this sort of abuse was indulged in by both Attorneys Zachritz and Meriwether in the Duestrow case, and I believe there will be a reversal on this ground if	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc- Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commission- ers Colby and Stone, voted for it and Com- missioners Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President MoMath against it. Commissioner Milner then moved that bids be asked for exclusively under the mixed are and incandescent system. The motion was carried unanimously. The specifications call for 2,921 arcs and 6,841 incandescent. The specifications are in other respects substantially the same as the incandescent specifications, which have been published exclusively in the Post-Dispatch. LINE TO FLORISSANT. Citizens Want the Suburban to Have Opposition. At a meeting of the citizens of Florissant a committee of six was appointed to meet a committee of six was appointed to meet a committee appointed by the City Coun- cil of Ferguson to confer with the managers of the Northern Central Electric Line in regard to extending their tracks through to Ferguson and from there to Florissant. The citizens of Florissant and vicinity are	CORN. 21½ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21½ 21½ 22½ b 24 n No. 3 16¾ 21½ 19¼ 21½ b 24 n No. 3 16¾ No. 3 16¾	\$2.7022.75. SPELITER—Dull at \$4.10. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PRUITS** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at firmer prices for choice Christmas stock, but poorer qualities and the stock of the continues of the contin	\$1.200 COC COC COC COC COC COC COC COC COC C
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the barracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young efficer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is left when it falls. The quarters are damp, and no earthly power could make a stove draw properly up the old-fashioned chimneys." "Since the fire destroyed the new barracks this old stone quadrangle is packed with soldiers," resumed Col. Henry. "Some are even living in the basements. "The hospital is the unhealthlest spot if the post. Men hate to go to it. Two of the troopers came back from Arcadia slightly, Indisposed last summer. They went the haspital	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Robinson. It appears in volume 131 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has Just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the interest. It is done because the Prosecuting Attorney denounced the defendant as n'infamous, lecherous scoundrel." The opinion holds that this was conduct calculated to prejudice the defendant's interest. The language used very sharply censures Prosecuting Attorneys for indulging in and Judges for allowing such conduct. Lawyers think this decision will result in many other cases being sent back to the original courts for new trials. Gov. Charles P. Johnson believes that a reversal will be obtained in the Duestrow case for this reason, if no other. "The opinion is an eminently fair one," he said. "It has come to be a habit in this State for Prosecuting Attorneys to abuse prisoners at the bar before they have been convicted. "This is opposed to our fundamental rules of law. A man is innocent until he is proven guilty and should be so treated. It is outrageous the way some cowardly lift-die procecuting attorneys are allowed to vility defendants at the bar. "Much of this sort of abuse was indulged in by both Autorneys Zachritz and Meriwether in the Duestrow case, and.I believe there will be a reversal on this ground if no other."	I would have to say no. The committeemen would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which system the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc-Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commissioners Colby and Stone voted for it and Commissioners Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President McMath against it. Commissioner Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President McMath against it. Commissioner Milner, Holman, Ridgley and easked for exclusively under the mixed are and incandescent system. The motion was carried unanimously. The specifications call for 2,921 arcs and 6,841 incandescent. The specifications are in other respects substantially the same as the incandescent specifications, which have been published exclusively in the Post-Dispatch. LINE TO FLORISSANT. Citizens Want the Suburban to Have Opposition. At a meeting of the citizens of Florissant a committee of six was appointed to meet a committee of six was appointed to	CORN. 21½ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21½ 21½ 22½ b 24 n No. 3 16¾ 21½ 19¼ 21½ b 24 n No. 3 16¾ No. 3 16¾	\$2.7022.75. SPELITER—Dull at \$4.10. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PRUITS** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at firmer prices for choice Christmas stock, but poorer qualities and the stock of the continues of the contin	\$1.200 COC COC COC COC COC COC COC COC COC C
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the barracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young efficer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is left when it falls. The quarters are damp, and no earthly power could make a stove draw properly up the old-fashioned chimneys. "Since the fire destroyed the new havracks this old stone quadrangle is packed with soldiers," resumed Col. Henry, "Some are even living in the basements. "The hospital is the unhealthlest spot if the hospital. In a few days they developed typhold fever. There is only one thing to do and that is to destroy these old buildings, remedy as best we can the building of the stables in a sink hole and improve the water supply and sewerage facilities. It will take money to do all this, but the department owes St. Louis something. A dozen posts have been established since the war and Jefferson Barracks has been overlooked. "I think a mistake was made when the new barracks and officers' quarters were boult in not putting them on the hill below the National Cemstery. There is a beautiful high plece of slopling ground there overlooking the river. The old barracks could have then been destroyed and turned into a drilling field. "The whole matter that will be gone into by the Board of Inquiry that meets Wednesday were laid before Congressmen Bartholdt, Joy and Cebb by the Industry parts.	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Robinson. It appears in volume 131 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has Just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the interest. It is done because the Prosecuting Attorney denounced the defendant as n'infamous, lecherous scoundrel." The opinion holds that this was conduct calculated to prejudice the defendant's interest. The language used very sharply censures Prosecuting Attorneys for indulging in and Judges for allowing such conduct. Lawyers think this decision will result in many other cases being sent back to the original courts for new trials. Gov. Charles P. Johnson believes that a reversal will be obtained in the Duestrow case for this reason, if no other. "The opinion is an eminently fair one," he said. "It has come to be a habit in this State for Prosecuting Attorneys to abuse prisoners at the bar before they have been convicted. "This is opposed to our fundamental rules of law. A man is innocent until he is proven guilty and should be so treated. It is outrageous the way some cowardly lift-die procecuting attorneys are allowed to vility defendants at the bar. "Much of this sort of abuse was indulged in by both Autorneys Zachritz and Meriwether in the Duestrow case, and I believe there will be a reversal on this ground if no other." TEN OF THEM IN LINE.	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc- Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commission- ers Colby and Stone voted for it and Com- missioners Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President McMath against it. Commissioner Milner then moved that bids be asked for exclusively under the mixed are and incandescent system. The motion was carried unanimously. The specifications call for 2-21 arcs and 6.841 incandescent, The specifications are in other respects substantially the same as the incandescent specifications, which have been published exclusively in the Post-Dispatch. LINE TO FLORISSANT. Citizens Want the Suburban to Have Opposition. At a meeting of the citizens of Florissant a committee of six was appointed to meet a committee o	CORN. 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 3 16¾6 19¾6 19¾6 19¾6 19¾6 16 a	\$2.7022.15. SPELITER—Dull at \$4.10. BGGS. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Pest-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PRUITS.** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at firmer prices for choice Christmas stock, but poorer qualities dull and slow. Genlting, 60c@31 per bbl: Ben Davis, 60c@1.10; winesap, willowtwk and Roman Beauty, 31@1.25; Johnsthan, Huntaman, Favorite, Belleflower and King, fancy, \$1.50@1.90; Michigan, choice to fancy, \$1@1.25; seconds, 50c@50c. Baldwin and Greening at 60c@0c; Canada Belleflent at \$1.75@2. GRAPES—Fancy New York Catawbas at 12½c per pony basket. MALAGA GRAPES—\$5@85 per bbl. **PEARS—New York Keifer at \$1.25@2 per 70-1b keg. **LIFORNIA FRUITS—In fair demand. Pears, \$1.60@1.75 per 40-1b box; quinces, \$1.00@1.25; Tolky gropes, \$1.50@1.90 per one-half crate. **Doylet Devis California, \$3.50@8.75 per box; California, \$3.50@3.75. BANANAS—Outlet. Messina and Palermo, \$3@ \$5.0 per box; California, \$3.50@3.75. BANANAS—Outlet. Messina and Palermo, \$3@ \$5.0 per box; California, \$3.50@3.75. BANANAS—On orders, medium bunches, 75c@\$1; holice large, \$1.25@1.50. CRANBERRIES—Selling at \$34 per 1,000. On orders, \$3.75 per 100. STRAWBERRIES—California, a refrigerator stock very slow at 25c per pint box. OCCOANUTS—Selling at \$34 per 1,000. On orders, \$3.75 per 100. STRAWBERRIES—California, a refrigerator stock very slow at 25c per pint box. PINEAPPLES—Dull at \$1.50@2 per dos. JAPANES PERSIMMONS—\$1 per ½ crate. MANDARINS—\$4 per box. DRIED FRUITS—Dull. We quote: Evaporated rings, fancy (white and dry), 3½c; choloce, 3c; fair, 2%c; cray and pealengus, 1c; chopped, ½c; sun-dried quarters, choice, bright and large, 2½c; inferior to fair, 1½c@2c. POTATOES—Quiet. but firm. Early Ohio. 35@ doc; Northern, 23@30c per bn: Iowa. 20@228c; home-grown, bottom. 22@25c; bluff. 25@30c. SWEET FOTATOES—Hom	\$1.200 COC bbis, COC bbis, eim, bbis, bbis, line bbis, line CHI PEC SC KA COC BC
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the burracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young efficer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is left when it falls. The quarters are damp, and no earthly power could make a stove draw properly up the old-fashioned chimneys." "Since the fire destroyed the new barracks this old stone quadrangle is packed with soldiers," resumed Col. Henry. "Some are even living in the basements. "The hospital is the unhealthiest spot if the hospital. In a few days they developed typhold fever. There is only one thing to do and that is to destroy these old buildings, remedy as best we can the building of the stables in a sink hole and improve the water supply and sewerage facilities. It will take money to do all this, but the department owes St. Louis something. A dozen posts have been established since the war and Jefferson Barracks has been overlooked. "I think a mistake was made when the new barracks and officers" quarters were boult in not putting them on the hill below the National Cemetery. There is a beautiful high plece of slopting sround there overlooking the river. The old barracks could have then been destroyed and turned finto a drilling field. "The whole matter that will be gone into by the Board of Inquiry that meets Wednesday were laid before Congressmen Bartholdt, Joy and Cobb when they paid a visit of inspection here so	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Robinson. It appears in volume 131 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the interest. It is done because the Prosecuting Attorney denounced the defendant as an "infamous, lecharous scoundrel." The opinion holds that this was conduct calculated to prejudice the defendant's interest. The language used very sharply censures Prosecuting Attorneys for indulging in and Judges for allowing such conduct. Lawyers think this decision will result in many other cases being sent back to the original courts for new trials. Gov. Charles P. Johnson believes that a reversal will be obtained in the Duestrow case for this reason, if no other. "The opinion is an eminently fair one," he said. "It has come to be a habit in this State for Prosecuting Attorneys to abuse prisoners at the bar before they have been convicted. "This is opposed to our fundamental rules of law. A man is innocent until he is proven guilty and should be so treated. It is outrageous the way some cowardly lifting proceduting attorneys Zachritz and Meriwether in the Duestrow case, and I believe there will be a reversal on this ground if no other." TEN OF THEM IN LINE. Four for the Work-House and Six to Leave Town. Ten blg, burly black and yellow negroes	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman said he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc- Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commission- ers Colby and Stone voted for it and Com- missioners Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President McMath against it. Commissioner Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President McMath against it. Commissioner Milner then moved that bids be asked for exclusively under the mixed are and incandescent system. The motion was carried unanimously. The specifications call for 2,921 arcs and 6,841 incandescent. The specifications are in other respects substantially the same as the incandescent specifications, which have been published exclusively in the Post-Dispatch. LINE TO FLORISSANT. Citizens Want the Suburban to Have Opposition. At a meeting of the citizens of Florissant a committee of six was appointed to meet a committee of six was ap	CORN. 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 3 16¾ 21 a 19¼ 219½ 24 n No. 3 16¾ No. 4	\$2.7022.75. SPELITER—Dull at \$4.10. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PRUITS.** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at firmer prices for choice Christmas stock, but poorer qualities dull and slow. Gentling, 60-631 per bbit better the continues of the continue	\$1.206 COC bbls, committee bbl
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the barracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions as attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the barracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young efficer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is left when it falls. The quarters are damp, and no earthly power could make a stove draw properly up the old-fashioned chimneys." "Since the fire destroyed the new barracks this old stone quadrangle is packed with soldlers," resumed Col. Henry. "Some are even living in the basements. "The hospital is the unhealthiest spot in the post. Men hate to go to it. Two of the troopers came back from Arcadia slightly indisposed last summer. They went it the hospital. In a few days they developed typhold fever. There is only one thirs to de and that is to destroy these old buildings, remedy as best we can the building of the stables in a sink hole and improve the water supply and sewerage facilities. It will take money to do all this, but the department owes St. Louis something. A dozen posts have been established since the war and Jefferson Barracks has been overlooked. "I think a mistake was made when the new barracks and officers' quarters were built in not putting them on the hill below the National Cemetery. There is a beautiful high plece of sloping ground there overlooking the river. The old barracks could have then been destroyed and turned fint	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Rebinson. It appears in volume 131 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has Just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the interest. It is done because the Prosecuting Attorney denounced the defendant as an "infamous, lecherous scoundrel." The opinion holds that this was conduct calculated to prejudice the defendant's interest. The language used very sharply censures Prosecuting Attorneys for indulging in and Judges for allowing such conduct. Lawyers think this decision will result in many, other cases being sent back to the original courts for new trials. Gov. Charles P. Johnson believes that a reversal will be obtained in the Duestrow case for this reason, if no other. "The opinion is an eminently fair one," he said. "It has come to be a habit in this State for Prosecuting Attorneys to abuse prisoners at the bar before they have been convicted. "This is opposed to our fundamental rules of law. A man is innocent until he is proven guilty and should be so treated. It is outrageous the way some cowardly list-die procecuting attorneys are allowed to vilify defendants at the bar. "Much of this sort of abuse was indulged in by both Autorneys Zachritz and Meriwether in the Duestrow asse, and.I believe there will be a reversal on this ground if no other." Ten Of THEM IN LINE. Four for the Work-House and Six to Leave Town. Ten big, burly black and yellow negroes were lined up before Judge Stephenson in the Second District Police Court Tuesday	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman sald he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc- Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commission- ers Colby and Stone voted for it and Com- missioners Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President McMath against it. Commissioner Milner then moved that bids be asked for exclusively under the mixed are and incandescent system. The motion was carried uranimously. The specifications call for 2,921 ares and 6,841 incandescent. The specifications are in other respects substantially the same as the incandescent specifications, which have been published exclusively in the Post-Dispatch. LINE TO FLORISSANT. Citizens Want the Suburban to Have Opposition. At a meeting of the citizens of Florissant a committee of six was appointed to meet a committee	CORN. 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 3 16¾ 21 a 19¼ 219½ 24 n No. 3 16¾ No. 4	\$2.7022.75. SPELITER—Dull at \$4.10. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PRUITS.** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at firmer prices for choice Christmas stock, but poorer qualities dull and slow. Gentling, 60-631 per bbit better the continues of the continue	\$1.206 COC bbls, committee bbl
Jefferson Barracks and Fort Wayne. Conditions have changed since them. The number of soldiers here has been greatly increased, insufficient attention to sanitation was exercised in locating the barracks and stables, and unfavorable climatic conditions aggravated improper conditions and produced sickness. "What we have to do is to look ahead and get things in proper shape for the future. Some of these old stone buildings enclosing the parade grounds were built in 1824. They are damp, foul smelling at times. The plaster is dropping off the walls. Some of them on the west side never get a touch of the sun. "How are your quarters, Captain Morgan?" inquired the commander of a young efficer who entered the room. "I am shy of a good bit of ceiling, and sleep with one eye open to dodge what is left when it falls. The quarters are damp, and no earthly power could make a stove draw properly up the old-fashioned chimneys." "Since the fire destroyed the new barracks this old stone quadrangle is packed with soldiers," resumed Col. Henry. "Some are even living in the basements. "The hospital is the unhealthlest spot it the hospital. In a few days they developed typhold fever. There is only one thing to do and that is to destroy these old buildings, remedy as best we can the building of the stables in a sink hole and improve the water supply and sewerage facilities. It will take money to do all this, but the department owes St. Louis something. Adozen posts have been established since the war and Jefferson Barracks has been overlooked. "I think a mistake was made when the new barracks and officers" quarters were boult in not putting them on the hill below the National Cemetery. There is a beautiful high piece of sloping ground there overlooking the river. The old barracks could have then been destroyed and turned into a drilling field. "The whole matter that will be gone into by the Board of Inquiry that meets Wednesday were laid before Congressmen Bartholdt, Joy and Cobb when they paid a visit of inspection here some	It May Lead to a Reversal of the Duestrow Verdict. The decision of Judge James B. Gantt, presiding Judge of Division No. 2 of the Criminal branch of the Supreme Court, reversing the conviction of a defendant named Bobbst, convicted in Audrain County of enticing a female, has aroused considerable interest among attorneys all through the State. The opinion is concurred in by Judges Sherwood and Rebinson. It appears in volume 131 of the Missouri reports containing some of the more recent decisions of the Supreme Court. This volume has Just been issued. The grounds for the reversal awaken the interest. It is done because the Prosecuting Attorney denounced the defendant as an "infamous, lecherous scoundrel." The opinion holds that this was conduct calculated to prejudice the defendant's interest. The language used very sharply censures Prosecuting Attorneys for indulging in and Judges for allowing such conduct. Lawyers think this decision will result in many, other cases being sent back to the original courts for new trials. Gov. Charles P. Johnson believes that a reversal will be obtained in the Duestrow case for this reason, if no other. "The opinion is an eminently fair one," he said. "It has come to be a habit in this State for Prosecuting Attorneys to abuse prisoners at the bar before they have been convicted. "This is opposed to our fundamental rules of law. A man is innocent until he is proven guilty and should be so treated. It is outrageous the way some cowardly list-die procecuting attorneys are allowed to vilify defendants at the bar. "Much of this sort of abuse was indulged in by both Autorneys Zachritz and Meriwether in the Duestrow asse, and.I believe there will be a reversal on this ground if no other." Ten Of THEM IN LINE. Four for the Work-House and Six to Leave Town. Ten big, burly black and yellow negroes were lined up before Judge Stephenson in the Second District Police Court Tuesday	I would have to say no. The committee- men would ask me why I sent such a thing to them with my implied approval. I will not be placed in such a position if I can help it." Commissioner Holman spoke emphatically in favor of the Board making a clean cut declaration of what it wanted and ask bids only for that thing. Before the motion was put Mr. Holman sald he would be willing to come in on the proposition to ask for bids on the two systems, provided the motion embodied a declaration that the contract would go to the lowest bidder irrespective of which sys- tem the bid was on. The reservation suggested by Mr. Mc- Math, which had been incorporated in the motion, was stricken out and the vote taken. The motion was lost. Commission- ers Colby and Stone voted for it and Com- missioners Milner, Holman, Ridgley and President McMath against it. Commissioner Milner then moved that bids be asked for exclusively under the mixed are and incandescent system. The motion was carried uranimously. The specifications call for 2,921 ares and 6,841 incandescent. The specifications are in other respects substantially the same as the incandescent specifications, which have been published exclusively in the Post-Dispatch. LINE TO FLORISSANT. Citizens Want the Suburban to Have Opposition. At a meeting of the citizens of Florissant a committee of six was appointed to meet a committee	CORN. 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 2 white 21¼ 21 b 24 n No. 3 16¾ 21 a 19¼ 219½ 24 n No. 3 16¾ No. 4	\$2.7022.75. SPELITER—Dull at \$4.10. Receipts 1,028 cases; shipments 645 cases. Market weak at 17c per doz. ON THE STREET. (The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in first hands, unless otherwise quoted. Orders are filled with choice goods and are higher.) **PRUITS.** APPLES—Market continues quiet. Receipts are moderate. There is a better demand at firmer prices for choice Coristmas stock, but poorer qualities dull and slow. Gentting, 60c@31 per bbl: Ben Davis, 60c@1.10; winesap, willowtwy and Roman Beauty, 31@1.25; Johnathan, Huntaman, Ben Davis, 60c@1.10; winesap, willowtwy and Roman Beauty, 31@1.25; Johnathan, Huntaman, Choice to fancy, \$1@1.25; seconds, 50c@50c. Belleflower and King, fancy, \$1.00(1.05); seconds, 50c@50c. Belleflower at \$1.75@2. GRAPES—Fancy New York Catawbas at 12½c per pony basket. MALAGA GRAPES—\$5@388 per bbl. PEARS—New York Keifer at \$1.25@2 per 70-1b keg. CALIFORNIA FRUITS—In fair demand. Pears, \$1.00@1.75; per 40-1b box; quinces, \$1.00@1.50 per 50x; California, \$1.50@2, per 50x; California navels at \$3.75@4; seedlings at \$3.50@3.75. ORANGES—Quiet. Messina and Palermo, \$3@3.50. per box; California, \$3.50@3.75. BANANAS—On orders; medium bunches, 75c@\$1; choice large, \$1.25@1.50. ORANGES—Quiet. Messina and Palermo, \$3@3.50. per box; California, \$3.50@3.75. BANANAS—On orders; medium bunches, 75c@\$1; choice large, \$1.25@1.50. ORANGES—Quiet. Messina and Palermo, \$3@3.50. per box; California, \$3.50@3.75. BANANAS—On orders; medium bunches, 75c@\$1; choice large, \$1.25@1.50. ORANGES—Quiet. Messina and palermo, \$3@3.50. per box; California, \$3.50@3.75. BANANAS—On orders; medium bunches, 75c@\$1; choice large, \$1.25@1.50. ORANGES—\$1.25@1.50. ORANGES—\$2.50 per box; California, refrigerator stock representation of the per box. ORANGES—\$2.50 per box; California, refrigerator stock representation of the	\$1.206 COC bbls, committee bbl

vance in Liverpool, but the excitement soon died out, the markets became quiet and a break followed. Continental markets were irregular. but London was firm and higher. Receipts, both here and in the Northwest were light.

President Spencer of the Merchants' Exchange appointed Leonard Matthews, Samuel Cupples, R. M. Scruggs, Henry R. Whitemore and Roger P. Annan as delegates to the State Convention to be held Monday, Dec. II. at Memorial Hall, Nineteenth and Leoust streets, to take action to secure administration of charities and corrections in the State of Missouri.

He has also appointed Messrs. John F. Valle, Wm. K. Stanard and Joseph W. Steels a committee to prepare resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Bernard M. Tansey.

One More Burglary

Vanc in Liverpool, but the excitement soon died out, the markets were if a break followed. Continent and a break followed. Continent and a break followed. Continent and break followed. Continent and higher. Receipts, but London was firm and higher. Receipts, but London was 25C. CUCUMBERS—Scarce and higher. Fresh receipts at the market were light.

Bradstreets was not expected to show much and in the Northwest were fight.

The greater part of the Liverpool receipts for the past three days were from Rossia.

Recelpts, 11.50g2 per but por; 60c per dos. RUTABAGAS—Quiet. Northern bulk, 256 per but. CABBAGS—Northern day late 184 for the open delivered. On orders, 11.50g per crate. Holland seed, 50g(11; light green, 311.50g per crate. Holland seed, 50g(11; light green, 311.50g per crate. Holland seed, 50g(11; light green, 311.50g per crate. Holland seed on orders, 120g(12; per crate. Holland seed on orders, 120g(13; per core; receipts 20g(13; valle, Wm. R., Stahard and Joseph W. Steele at committee to prepare resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Bernard M. Tansey.

One More Burglary.

The residence of Thomas F. Howard at 7374 Lucas avenue was entered by burglar was asked at the close of restoriar, it sold at 15% can be said to the same of the family and a quantity of clothing stolen. The thieves gained an entrance by using skieleton keys and ransacked every room in the house. The stolen clothing is valued at 15% can be said to the same of the family and a quantity of clothing stolen. The stolen clothing is valued at 15% can be said to the said of the said of the family and a quantity of clothing stolen. The stolen clothing is valued at 15% of the said of

slaughter house stock, 30.

SCRAP HON AND METAL—Iron, wrought 45e per 100 lbs: heavy cast steel and malleable, 274c; stove place, 20c; burnt, 20c. Brass—Light, 48.50; heavy, 66; copper, 57; lead, \$2.50; sinc, \$2.25; heavy, 66; copper, 57; lead, \$2.50; sinc, \$2.25; pervice, 30c; burnt, 20c. Brass—Light, 48.50; heavy, 66; copper, 57; lead, \$2.50; sinc, \$2.25; pervice, 30c; copper, 57; lead, \$2.50; sinc, \$2.25; pervice, 30c; lead, 20c; lose, 40c; lose, 40c; lose, 40c; lassed oil, 76c; do 44-bbls, 80c; wins, 1246 lbc; whisky, 75c; do 44-bbls, 80c; wins, 1246 lbc; whisky, 75c; do 44-bbls, 80c; with 2c discount for each missing hoop.

BROOM CORN—Old stock scarce and quiet, quote as follows: New stock quotable at 385 per ton for common to 355685 for choice to fancy.

WHITE BEANS—Steady. Country sell at 506 medium, jobbing at 31.1561.20; pea beans at \$1.2061.25; Lima beans, 34633/cp per lb.

COOPERSTUFPS—Shaved hoops—Cooper four bbls, 346.25; country, \$3.38.25; halfbls, \$2.50; eim, 25c higher; colled eim (8-foot), \$5.15; pork bbls, 356c; lard tes, \$22; beer kegs, \$12616. Heading—Flour bbls, \$4.50; culls, \$2.50; sin bbls, 356c; lard tes, \$22; beer kegs, \$12616. Heading—Flour bbls, \$3.50; pork bbls, \$16; lard tes, \$22; beer kegs, \$12616. Heading—Flour bbls, \$3.50; pork bbls, \$3.50; all at \$600 per lb.

PECANS—Texas at 64/67c per lb; Western, \$4/6 Sc for old, \$666 for new.

WALNUTS—Quiet at 25c per bu.

COOPERAGE—Flour bbls—Round hoops, 25c; flat hoops, 25c; half bbls, 65c.

\$8.1T—Domestic, 176/850; per bbl this side and 10675c es side.

SCRGHUM—Dull. Quotable at 10675c per bu;

DRIED PEAS—Green jobbing at 6065c per bu;

LOCAL MARKET-Dull. Sales, 53 bales tations: Ordinary, 5%c; good ordinary, 6%

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

LIVE STOCK. National Stock Yards

Silver Quotations.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Silver certificates, 65%c; no sales. Bar silver, 65%c. Mexicas collars, 51c.

ST. LOUIS, Dec.				
STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	CI
American Spirits	124	121/	1134	100
American Spirits, pf American Tobacco, com.	78%	417	聯二年	183
American Tobacco, com.	1016	101%	1014	100
Atchison, com	13%	1042	127	돐
Atchison, pfd	214	927	214	102
Atchison 4s	78%	78%	78%	100
Baltimore & Ohio	14%	15	14%	66
Canadian Pacific	55	*****	******	銐
Ches. & Ohio, com	16%	16%	EE2.00	æ
Central New Jersey Chicago Gas Trust	10214	791/	2186	猛
C., C. C. & St. L	2612	27	2814	贸
Chi. R. I. & P.	874	6734	67	æ
Chi., R. I. & P Chi., Bur. & Quincy	75	75%	7436	æ
Chi., M. & St. P., com	73%	74%	73%	瘳
Chi. & N. W., com.				М.
Colo. Fuel & Iron	24			葱
Cotton Oil, pfd	3014	30%	3014	据
Edison General		and the same	Paraditu	88
Aclede Gas, com	2414	24%	2416	歷
ouis. & Nashville	4814	49%	48	
ake Shore	154			Ø.
end, pfd	8814	*****	******	No.
dissouri Pacific	20%		19/6	35
d., K. & T pfd	27 81	41.76	1000	10
do do 4s	6884	50	8896	
do do 20s	58%	95	9214	
at Cordage com	5/2	200		100
Northern Pacific com	13	13	12%	60
do do pfd	221/1	9914	92141	100





Given Away FREE

BRANDT'S DOLLS With GIRLS' SHOES, KNIVES With BOYS' SHOES,

During This Month With Sales.

CITY NEWS.

Mr. Seropyan fast evening, on beginning the sale of his extraordinary collection o sian and Turkish Carpets at 3566 Olive street, gave a short but very entertaining address on Oriental art in warp and woof. The attendance was large, but Mr. Leonor who is personally conducting the sale, says the prices realized were very moderate considering the superb character of the stock and the appearance of the audience.

The Implacable Enemy of Disease is pure blood, in whose presence disease cannot exist. The ancient doctors took away bad blood by bleeding. We make pure blood by the use of SILSBEE'S PEPTON-IZED IRON AND MANGAN.

Dr. E. C. Chase, Sixth and Locust. Set of teeth, \$8.

DIERKEN'S MISDEEDS ARE BURIED NOW

LOCKED DEEP IN THE BREAST OF HIS FATHER CONFESSOR.

HE PAID CONSCIENCE MONEY.

Secretary of the Graham Paper Co., His Beneficiary Remembers Nothing For or Against Him.

Whatever the misdeeds of August F. restitution to be made, he carried the se

restution to be made, he carried the se-cret of them to his grave.

The peculiar provisions of Dierken's will, rather of the letter he left explaining it, was told in Monday's Post-Dispatch. The

TWO HOUSEKEEPERS FOR ONE WIDOWER.

RESULT WAS WRATH, TEARS, BOARD BILLS AND A LAW SUIT. PRETTY MISS ALLEN WINS.

Lawyer Pollock Is a Glutton for Punishment and Wants Some More of It.

Few men ever know when they have nough. Lawyer Marquis E. F. Pollock

He fell into trouble with his new house keeper about eighteen months ago, owing to the unexpected return of his first housekeeper, and had to hire a lawyer. He has been at law with the new house keeper ever since, because he wasn't satis-fied to let the matter go at the decision of a

Justice of the Peace.

fied to let the matter go at the decision of a Justice of the Peace.

The Justice of the Peace was William P. Hanley, whose fortune it seems to be to get all these interesting cases. He gave the new housekeeper a judgment for \$12 and costs.

Lawyer Pollock thought the Circuit Court would do better by him, or perhaps he thought to tire the housekeeper out. So he appealed the case.

That is where he made a mistake. The housekeeper did not get a little bit tired. On the contrary, she was in Juige Wood's division of the Circuit Court Monday just as bright and chipper as when the litigaton began. The young woman is as pretty as any to be met in a long day's walk, and her name is Miss Pearl Allen.

So Mr. Pollock was disappointed there, because he probably had not real zed the pertinacity of a woman when aroused, or of the Irish, as represented by Lawyer J. J. O'Donohoe, who was retained by the housekeeper to encompass Mr. Pollock's discomfiture.

As if that were not enough, Judge Wood, looking at Miss Allen admiring.y, after hearing the evidence, raised the judgment she secured from Justice Hamley to \$32, besides the increased costs to be taxed against Mr. Pollock.

Miss Allen lives at 1210 St. Ange avenue. She used to live at 1028 North Leffingwell avenue, with Mrs. Cashmire, Leffingwell avenue, with Mrs. Cashmire,

GARRETT AND KERTH DIFFER. Each Wants to Be Collector of St. Louis

County.

Otto Kerth, Sheriff-elect of St. Louis Co Otto Kerth, Sheriff-elect of St. Louis County, filed a bond Monday for \$30,000 as exofficio Collector. It was approved by the Circuit Court. This means that there will be a clash between Kerth and Sheriff Garrett as to the right to collect taxes from Jan. 1, 1897, to March 1, 1897.

The last Legislature passed an act separating the county offices of Sheriff and Collector and providing for an election of a Collector. The new Collector will take office March 1, and Garrett claims that he is entitled to serve as Collector until the time although his term as Sheriff expires san.

Sheriff-elect Kerth holds that Garrett can act as Collector only as long as he is Sheriff. Issue will be joined in tax suits which Garrett will file.

CHANGE MEMBERS DO BUSINESS.

THE YEARLY DUES ARE RAISED BY A CLOSE VOTE.

RIVER LEGISLATION ASKED.

There Were More New Members Ad mitted Than at Any Meeting Held in Several Years.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Merchants' Exchange Monday afternoon the question of raising the annual dues, which has been the subject of so much discussion lately, was settled by the board fixing the dues for



Have You Reserved Your... Christmas Tokens?

IF NOT, come at once and don't miss this opportunity of get-ting first-class goods at reasonable prices.

Watches-Solid Gold, Ladies' Sizes\$15.00 and apwards Watches-Solid Gold, Gents' Sizes \$25.00 and upwards Diamond Pins and Pendants\$4.00 and upwards Diamond Earrings......\$10.00 and spewards Rings-Wedding......\$2.00 and upwards Clocks......75c and apwards Toilet Articles Solid Silver 25c and apwards

F. W. DROSTEN,

619 Olive Street.

Our Store will be open every night until 9 o'clock.

SCHMITZ

The "Good Luck" Label Sewed into any Suit is a guarantee of good making and of good wearing quality. Look for it.

SCHMITZ & SHRODER Wholesale Manufacturers of Mea's, Boys' and Children's Clothing,

N. W. COR. SIXTH AND ST. CHARLES STREETS. DO WE OWE YOU 50 CENTS? At our First Surprise Sale we gave each customer an order good for 50 cents on a future purchase of \$10.00 or over, if presented before December Sist. Per-

GENTEEL GARMENTS **WORKING CLOTHES FIGURES**

What These **Suits Are:**

CLOTH-Strictly All-Wool Scotch Mixe

BODY LINING—Extra strength Italian.

SLEEVE LINING—Twilled Satsen.

MAKE—Very best workmanship of our

"Good Lack" tailors; made in St. Louis. Look for the "Good Luck" Label.

RETAIL SALESROOM

GROUND FLOOR OF FACTORY

THE PIPE TRUST GRAFT AGAIN,

MARIA SECURITY AND LOCATE AND ADDRESS AND

GOLD CERTIFICATES.

Secretary Carlisle Will Not Issue Them at Present. WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.-Secre

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. II.—Secretary Carlisle has written a letter in reply to one in behalf of the Boston banks asking for the issue of gold certificates under the authority granted in section is of the act of July 12, 1882. The Secretary says:

"I am not yet prepared to give the necessary order. After the reserve has once fallen below \$100,000,000, and the issue of such certificates has been stopped, it is not certain that the Secretary of the Treasury, and particularly in view of existing conditions, would be justified in resuming their reissue. It has been the experience of the department in the past that the normal increase of the gold reserve caused by the exchange of paper currency for gold is checked by the issue of gold certificates, and, in fact, upon various occasions considerable amounts of gold have been withdrawn by the presentation of notes for redemption and immediately redeposited in exchange for gold certificates. Moreover, the House of Representatives of the Fitythird Congress, at its third seesion, passed a bill discontinuing their issue entirely, and it is whe intention of the department to present the subject again at a very early date. As the amount of the gold reserve is largely decimated from time to time by the amount of available paper in circulation, it seems inadvisable at this time especially to increase the volume of that currency by the 'essue of gold certificates."

Having Purchased and Imported a large quantity of Havana Tobacc Weyler's order forbidding the expert of tobacco from Cuba. THE QUALITY

MERCANTILE

WILL BE KEPT UP TO THE STANDARD.

HOUSE BREAKERS TWICE FOILED.

THEY DROPPED THEIR BOOTY AT DR. LOVE'S HOUSE.

CARETAKER GAVE THE ALARM.

Two Attempts at Burglary in Wes End Place Frustrated by Vig-

Maggie Cruse, who cooks for Mrs. Fran-cis Dinwiddle of 510 West End place, was awakened at midnight by suspicious counds coming from the rear of the kitchen. Maggie reads the represent was on the TO THIS QUESTION.

Maggie reads the papers and was on the qui vive for burglars. She lit the gas and grabbed the poker. Then she crossed herself for good luck and raised a window. The noise had stopped, but she knew the burglars had not gone. She asked who was there and then said: "I see you. Go away now or the master!" be filling you full of holes. He's coming with his gun."

There was a hasty shuffling of feet in the court near the cold air shaft of the furnace, then all was quiet.

Says His Admission Would Have

Been a Violation of a Contract.

There hours laiter the neighborhood was aroused by shrieks of "Murder!" "Fire!" "Police!"

They came from the residence of Dr. I.

C. E. HILTS SHOP CO.

BOUGHT AT TRUSTEE'S SALE.



BAKING POWDER

The absolutely pure

ROYAL-the most celebrated of all the baking powders in the world-celebrated for its great

leavening strength and purity. It makes your cakes, biscuit, bread, etc., healthful, it assures you against alum and all forms of adulteration that go with the cheap

